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## This Fast Growing City Urgently In Need Of Sewer Extension

Need for a new sewer district to serve the south-east section of Penticton in the general area bordering on the hospital and including homes in the veterans' section was stressed by two speakers at the regular Board of Trade meeting, last night.

The board also heard from civic candidates, followed by a question and answer period. The meeting was a joint one with board members being joined by the Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Acting-Mayor H. G. Garroch delivered the opening remarks, explaining that Mayor Oscar Matson is hospitalized but will soon be able to resume an active role in civic affairs.

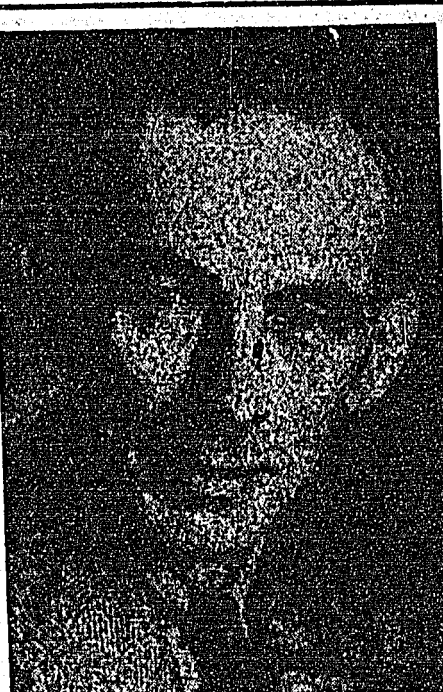
Turning to unionism, the acting mayor declared that he was not against unions but felt they should contain their efforts to union welfare.

"When unions impinge on the welfare of a city as a whole I don't think it is a good thing," he said. "I think their activities should be directed to looking after their own bearing in mind other people's welfare as well."

The acting mayor said, "I have received several blasts because a sewer district has not been constructed east of the railway tracks, so I feel that I should make my position clear on the matter."

"This sewer district is a must as far as Penticton as a whole is concerned and must be done within the next year or two."

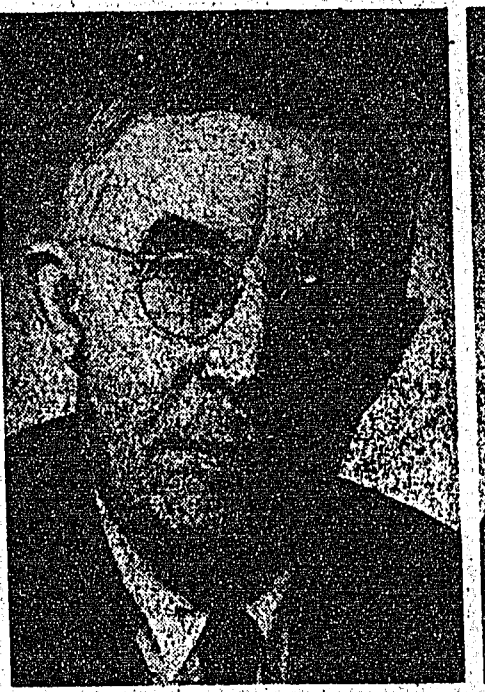
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ALD. E. A. TITCHMARSH



ALD. J. G. HARRIS



P. F. ERAULT



J. D. SOUTHWORTH

## Board Of Trade Meeting Sounding Board For Election Candidates

Candidates for aldermanic and school board vacancies gave brief addresses to members of the Board of Trade and Junior Chamber of Commerce at their joint meeting held last night, at the Hotel Prince Charles.

Each candidate was granted three minutes' time and a brief question period followed.

Remarks by aldermanic candidates in the order in which they spoke are:

Alderman E. A. Titchmarsh: "This has been a hard year with much hard work. When ratepayers fail to turn out for the annual stewardship meeting, it means they are either dissatisfied or apathetic. I choose to regard the situation as a general feeling that your council is doing a reasonably good job."

P. F. Erault: "As a resident of this district for some 50 years I feel I have some knowledge of its problems in the past and because of our development what we face in the future, particularly zoning. As school board chairman, I feel that I could render service in the form of liaison work between the board and council."

Alderman J. G. Harris: "One of our problems is that of Town Planning and it is most necessary that a good plan is adopted. Regarding sewerage, it is an absolute must that this service be extended. If re-elected I will push for extension of the curb and sidewalk program and if natural gas comes here in 1957 we will then be able to embark on an extensive paving program."

J. D. Southworth: "I have had considerable training in business administration. In a city like this I look upon council as a board of directors and the deputies are the key men, permanent employees like the city clerk. I have an interest in municipal affairs, especially from a financial point of view, and if my experience is of any value to you, you are welcome to it."

F. C. Christian asked: "Do you think the engineering department should figure out the cost of its paving program and then call for public tenders, with city crews looking after maintenance work?"

The question was directed to Alderman Harris who replied, "The drainage program should come first and when natural gas installations are completed we should be prepared for an extensive paving program."

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MRS. LESLIE BALLA



MRS. HETTIE KINGSLEY



G. J. ROWLAND



MRS. W. P. SUTER



E. A. TYHURST

### High School Annual Staff Wants Loan Of Old School Annuals

The High School Annual Board would appreciate the loan, for a few days, of any early School Annuals, dating from the early twenties through to the late forties. If any Penticton citizen happens to own any such annuals and would like to loan them, they could be left at the principal's office any time within the next week.

### B.C. Tree Fruits Make Staff Changes

In staff changes announced by B.C. Tree Fruits Ltd. yesterday, H. Guy Greenwood, presently manager of Canadian Fruit Distributors at Regina, has been transferred to manage the distributors' office in Toronto.

Mr. Greenwood has considerable experience in the field; he is well known for many years of service with Associated Growers in Vernon.

### Stolen Car Still Missing

No trace has been found of the car owned by Reverend Ernest Rands stolen from his Manor Park residence last Sunday night.

Apparently, wires were crossed to start the motor as the car keys had been removed. The vehicle is a 1947 maroon Plymouth bearing licence number 243918.

Forecast —			
Variable cloudiness with a few scattered snow flurries along the mountains. Clear tonight, sunny Saturday. Little change in temperature. Light winds. Low tonight at Penticton 22 high tomorrow 36.			
Temperatures —			
	Max.	Min.	
December 7	34.1	31.4	
December 8	36.5	31.4	
Precipitation, Sunshine —			
	Ins.	Hrs.	
December 7	nil	1.6	
December 8	.01	.4	



FIRST DEPOSITOR IN THE BANK OF MONTREAL'S newly instituted "around the clock" banking service here, city merchant E. J. Badcock, is shown above with bank manager Alec Walton as they initiated the system this morning. Each bank customer using the new service will be given a key to the depository, located on the front wall of the bank, and a small canvass bag, fitted with a lock. This is the first night banking service in Penticton.

## Voting Day Tomorrow, Six Vacancies, Nine Running

### DeMolays Raise \$1,100 To Aid Accident Victim Manfred Priesse

Drive for funds to purchase artificial legs for Manfred Priesse ended last night and through the generosity of Penticton citizens a total of \$1,100 was raised.

Funds were solicited by the Penticton Chapter of the Order of DeMolay who made a house to house canvass of the city.

The Priesse youth is still hospitalized as the result of a motorcycle collision which cost him both legs.

He is determined to carry on with his education and the purchase of legs will be of great assistance in his rehabilitation.

DeMolays will present the Priesse youth with a cheque for the amount at a later date.

## 400 Hear Band, Chorus Concert

An audience of about 400 shared the enthusiasm of performers at a combined concert by the Penticton City Band and the Penticton Male Chorus, given at the High School Auditorium, Wednesday night.

The chorus came in for warm praise as well blended voices rendered many known and beloved selections ranging from the classics to Christmas carols.

Equal commendation was voiced for the band's interpretation of stirring marches and medleys taken from musical shows.

Completing the variety program was the exhibition by Swannee Wood, well known baton twirler from Wenatchee. Mrs. Margaret Hendry directed the chorus and accompanist was Mrs. Beatrice Ede. Leading the band was bandmaster Ken Almond.

Particularly pleasing was the band's rendition of a Vincent Youmans' fantasy consisting of Great Day, More Than You Know, Time On My Hands, Without A Song and Drums In My Heart.

Vocal solo parts were taken by Fred Schofield, Geoff Allington, Dave Stocks, Herb Clarke and Al Vaughan.

In keeping with the season, a number of Christmas songs were heard including Angels We Have Heard on High, Silent Night and others.

All proceeds from the concert were given to the fund for the Penticton High School Band.

Penticton firefighters were called to the hospital yesterday at 3:45 p.m. as a precautionary measure when a cartridge fuse burned out on a panel in the kitchen.

There was no damage.

Penticton voters go to the polls tomorrow to elect three aldermen, three school trustees and to express an opinion on a bylaw calling for cancellation of certain parcels of land now dedicated as park sites.

There are 4,462 persons eligible to vote and in an effort to encourage voters to cast ballots, the Penticton Junior Chamber of Commerce is offering free transportation to and from the polls to anyone who would otherwise not be able to vote. The number to call for this service is 5620.

Voting takes place at Scout Hall on Jernyn avenue between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. Returning officer is R. N. Atkinson.

Four candidates are seeking the aldermanic seats. Up for re-election are Aldermen E. A. Titchmarsh and J. G. Harris. Completing the slate are J. D. Southworth and P. F. Erault.

The two aldermen have each served six years on City Council. Mr. Southworth is an investment fund specialist and Mr. Erault is chairman of the School Board.

There are five candidates in the School Board contest, three up for re-election. Trustees Mrs. Leslie Balla, Mrs. Hettie Kingsley and G.

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### Four Parcels Of Land Affected

Four parcels of land are involved in the bylaw vote which will be taken tomorrow. Council is seeking permission to cancel dedication of the land to parks land, following a recommendation to this effect from the Town Planning Commission, who deemed the land unsuitable for that purpose.

The parcels of land are: 1. On the west side of Van Horne street between Guernsey avenue and Vancouver avenue. 2. On the top of the hill just west of the reservoir on Duncan avenue. 3. A piece of swamp at Skaha Lake. 4. At the bottom of the hill on Vancouver avenue just below the Killick property at the intersection of Front street and Vancouver avenue.

If electors approve the bylaw council will be free to sell the land.

## Civil Action Here Over Shooting

Chief Justice Sherwood Lett, recently appointed to that position on the B.C. Supreme Court, will hold sittings at Penticton Court House next week, commencing Tuesday.

Listed are three civil actions and two divorce cases, one of them contested.

Among the civil cases is one for damages laid by Philip Hatfield and his daughter Glendine against John Pearson and his son David.

The action results from a shooting on January 21, 1954, when the Hatfield girl was struck in the spine by a bullet from a gun held by the Pearson boy.

She has been confined to a wheel chair since that time. The mishap occurred in the Pearson home where the girl had gone to see some animal pictures which the boy had saved for her.

### Commission Probes Murder Of Policeman

VANCOUVER — The City Police Commission met this afternoon to study "all aspects" of the murder of a policeman.

Mayor Fred Hume personally posted a \$1,000 reward for information leading to conviction of the killers of Constable Gordon Sinclair, 41, who was shot to death in a lane on Wednesday night.

Police said they were questioning four suspects.

## According To The Mood . . . By Sid Godber

The almost non-existent interest displayed hereabouts in civic affairs would, I'm sure, justify me in writing, or rather attempting to write, a column that would send everyone with the right to vote to the polls tomorrow, heads up, chins in, chests out—a proud people marching to their civic duty. But not having the knack of writing inspiring messages to stir the blood and send people rushing to the barricades I'll not try—who knows, maybe there's a George around who'll do it for me.

As you may have gathered the mood is low today, sub-zero. Why, oh why did I stay in this rat race they call the newspaper game?

And I've had opportunities to get out—why I could have been a bootlegger. I was once invited to go into partnership on a bootlegging deal that turned into big money. At this point I envy the movie makers. All they have to do is put some loud music on the sound track, show the old caddy sleeping in his armchair, then fill the screen with swirling smoke and presto, the old caddy appears as a young and handsome caddy way back when. So picture me as the young and handsome character after an eight hour night shift on a pile driver stood on a high bank overlooking the Saskatchewan River, alongside me is another character, likewise handsome and also tall.

This character is "Muscolo" Slim. I'd met Muscolo in the deep woods on a river drive, which same meeting is a story in itself, he was going to kick in my teeth, which were firm; white and 100 percent genuine in those days.

But on this morning after the first shift on the pile driver Slim said, "I know 'Yorky' (Yorky was the tag I'd picked up in the woods as hailing from Yorkshire) there's easier ways of making a living than this. He looked down on the pile drivers and mused out loud, "there's going to be a steady payroll for two years, and it's going to be big. I'm going to get me a slice of it, what do you say?"

"Sure, what do you say?" "Bootlegging." "Uh—bootlegging—not me I've no hankering to go to jail." "Everyman's gotta grind his own wheat, but I'm off—I tell the boys to look me up when they're needin' their tonsils lubricated. I'll be in business by tonight." "And he was—and he thrived and waxed exceedingly rich. Womenfolk around those parts were ga, ga about him and no wonder. He stood about six three, and was broad shouldered, barrel chested and wasp waisted. Believe it or not, his hair was yellow and naturally wavyed, his nose was aquiline, you know, noble redskin kind of nose, and he had a cleft chin.

With all that he was something of a dandy. Black silk shirt with a fine gold watch chain looping down the front, black, wide brimmed Stetson kind of hat and skin tight pants and half leg high logger boots. Sounds nauseating, but believe me, he was all man, a man who could swing a mean axe, cant hook, peavey or pike pole with any timber beast on the Saskatchewan River and, although I've never seen a man like his weight in wildcats, I'm sure Slim could. I saw him clear his illegal establishment in nothing flat of a bunch of bridge steel workers, who are about as tough as they come.

And this rooth' tooth' character not only made money hand over fist—I think half the bridge payroll passed through his hands—but he became something of a leading citizen, man about town. It was something to see him do the church bazaars. Spending right and left and the women folk whispering "such a nice young man, isn't it awful that he's a bootlegger?"

I don't think they make 'em like Slim anymore. I don't know what happened to him and I don't know what would have happened to me, if I'd accepted his invitation to go bootlegging—but sometimes I don't think it could be any worse than what has happened to me—as I said in the beginning, the mood is low.



## Penticton Herald

# Editorials

### Maybe Just Satisfied

Sewer systems cost money, but nevertheless it is always good news when civic leaders start talking about the urgent need for extending the system. It means in the first instance that the city has grown; that a large new area has been built up. It also means, of course, that by pushing out the sewer system, fringe development will be accelerated and as these in turn become built up there will come the clamor for another sewer district.

A new sewer district is almost certain to be set up next year and, apart from serving the built up areas in the south-east section of the city, it will provide the key to two big subdivision developments which we are given to understand are ready to roll when the sewer problem is settled.

There is no doubt that the city is continuing its steady expansion and, judging by the annual reports of civic leaders, which were to have been presented at the abortive Stewardship meeting, our civic government in all branches seems aware of this growth and of the need to keep pace with it.

### Responsibilities Of Freedom

It is heartening indeed to note that there are one or two signs on the horizon of a tendency to recognize that freedom has certain responsibilities as well as rights. Many recent newspaper and magazine articles report that there is mounting evidence in family agencies and the courts that the "let a child do as he pleases" theory of parenthood is back-firing not only against society but against the very children who were reared that way. The extraordinary thing is that such a theory was ever accepted in the first place.

If we believe, as we say we do, in the theory of competitive enterprise, how can we expect our children to carry on this belief if they are allowed to grow up thinking that they can do just whatever they wish to do and get away with it? If children are fed and pampered with everything done for them and nothing expected from them, it is not difficult to predict that when finally they must face the facts of life on their own they become ready believers in any system, no matter how absurd it may be, which promises them security without effort.

Typical of recent findings is the report from the Washington Institute of Mental Hygiene by psychiatric social worker Thelma DuVigne. Miss DuVigne

### She Forgot The Sink

Down in Australia, the land of strange animals found nowhere else in the world, wives really do things up brown when it comes to disciplining a husband.

Frederick Newton, of Sydney, Australia, came home from a swim at the beach the other day and found his wife on the warpath, according to a story in the Chicago Daily News.

Telling his story in court, Newton said she first tossed a bucket at him, and followed it up with two garden forks.

Then she soaked him with the garden hose.

After he was properly drenched she peppered him with fruit, brass trays, doorstops, an electric iron, vases, lemon squeezers, a portable radio and

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



THE REST CURE

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## Letters To The Editor

Letters to the editor must carry the name and address of the sender. Pen names will be accepted for publication but preference will be given to letters published over the writer's own name.

The Editor, The Penticton Herald,

### NOT OLD ENOUGH

In the November 4 issue of your paper, there appeared the news of the retirement of CPR conductor Robert S. Fraser after 38 years of service on the Kettle Valley branch of the railway. As I remember Mr. Fraser very well and have known him a long time now, I read this article from start to finish with much interest. I certainly wish him a long and pleasant retirement. But the purpose of this letter is to say that I feel Mr. Fraser must have been misquoted in at least one respect.

I am sorry that I cannot claim credit for having named even one station on the KVR line. The unusual and interesting place names on the line, including the Shakespeare ones, were all chosen by a committee of three men, namely, the late J. J. Warren, who was president of the line from 1910 until 1920; my father, the late Andrew McCulloch, who located and operated the line and was connected with it from 1910 until his retirement in 1933; and one other man who left the company about 1916 and whose name I am afraid I have forgotten.

The stations had all been named and were to be seen in print on time tables by 1915, in which year, although I had just attained the ripe old age of five years, I had not been introduced to the works of Shakespeare, let alone

become a student at McGill University. In closing, I would like to express the best wishes of a devoted reader of your paper. Through reading it, I feel that I am never out of touch with the town I still think of as "home", and can keep abreast of the town's progress.

(Ruth McCulloch)  
Mrs. Ruth E. Macquodale  
84 Beverley Avenue,  
Town of Mount Royal,  
Montreal 16, P.Q.

The Editor, The Penticton Herald,

### OMMISSION

In my letter supporting Central Selling which you were kind enough to print in your December 5 issue, there has been a line or so left out. This changes the meaning quite a bit, and perhaps was my fault. Would you please reprint the paragraph dealing with apricots.

It should read like this: "Should these products be all sold at the prices anticipated for them, any surplus above the amounts already paid out will naturally find its way to the grower who produced the fruit. Had this fruit been sold to private processors on a 'free market', the buyer would have bought it as cheaply as possible, and the ultimate returns to the processor would have been none of our business, but they'd be plenty."

S. A. Mephram,  
RR 1, Osoyoos.

## NEWS FROM

# Victoria

By J. K. Nesbitt

VICTORIA — A one-page publication, which says, somewhat mysteriously, it is "prepared by the Social Credit Research Team of Vancouver" has something to say about what it calls "Tory wedding."

"Here is what it says: 'It is frequently said, chiefly by Communists and Socialists, that there is an conspiracy between Tories and the United Nations to form an alliance to defeat the Liberals at Ottawa. This, which is concocted as a typical leftist attempt at character assassination, is somewhat too far-fetched.'

"To begin with, it is rather difficult to see how we could make any kind of a political deal with the Tories, when George Drew's chief hatchmen, George Hees and Harvey Galbraith, barrel around the country making immoderate, bigoted and intellectually retarded statements about Social Credit.

"It should be clear that in any such witch's brew, Social Credit members would be nothing, but a minority group of parliamentary yesmen.

"It is our opinion that Social Credit can carry the day alone."

We don't know much about the 'Union Nationale' out here, but certainly Tories and 'SC's are as one in their determination to defeat the Liberal government in Ottawa. There's no question of that. There may be no deal between them, but they are in perfect accord in their political opinion that the Liberals are doing a fierce job, and should be ousted from office.

Supposing that, after the next Federal election, SC's and Conservatives, between them, should have a bare majority at Commonsense. This isn't likely to happen... but, just supposing.

Premier Bennett himself has said many times that after the next election Social Credit will have more seats than any other party. We don't think that possible, but then, whoever expected Mr. Bennett to be the first S.C. Premier of British Columbia?

Anyway, supposing if SC's and Conservatives should have that bare majority, between them. If that happened, it's not impossible that there then would be a coalition of Conservatives and SC's, as we had a coalition of Liberals and Conservatives in British Columbia for 11 years, until Social Credit and CCF threw them out, until now we have but four Liberals in the House, and not a Conservative in sight.

There's no doubt it would be the part of political wisdom for SC's and Conservatives to then coalesce, because if they didn't they wouldn't have much other chance of ever becoming the government. The Conservatives would rather have half a loaf

Older people have need of social contacts and they require mental stimulation. Where clubs for senior citizens have been formed, an opportunity for them to meet their contemporaries has proved welcome. If possible, help should be given to allow them to develop hobbies or handicraft.

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## Board Of Trade

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"I believe commercial pavers can do a more finished job. They have heavier equipment and can do more uniform work. I would go along with the suggestion that large paving programs be done by public tender."

Frank Wittner asked: "Has the coming of natural gas had anything to do with the change in electric rates?"

Alderman Harris replied: "I wouldn't think so. Coming of gas may have some effect on the amount of commercial heating it will displace. New homes and businesses may install natural gas but I don't think it would pay the average householder to switch from electricity to gas."

School Board candidates were next to address the meeting.

Trustee Mrs. Leslie Balla said: "I believe the experience I have gained in one term should be useful to the community if I am re-elected. I have enjoyed the work as head of the school cafeteria committee. I feel that our children deserve the very best and we should get it on a dollar-for-dollar basis."

Trustee Mrs. Hettie Kingsley: "I'm a businesswoman, a taxpayer, and I don't mind paying taxes. But I am interested in seeing the money spent wisely. If I can help do this for you and your children I'll be glad to do so."

Trustee G. J. Rowland: "As a resident for 15 years I feel that I have been reasonably close to some of the community's problems. I feel it is the duty of a trustee to try to preserve a sort of balance between the student and teacher and the taxpayer. Of paramount importance is the student, and if re-elected I intend to make it my interest to see that whatever effort and money are expended is directed to that goal."

Mrs. Mary Suter: "I have been interested in welfare work since before the war and with the Red Cross served as a nurse with the R.A.F. As a parent I became keenly interested in P.T.A. work and it is my feeling that a person wishing to hold a position on the school board should have the interests of the children at heart."

E. A. Tyhurst: "During my 9½ years in Penticton I have served on several organizations, the Credit Union, St. John's Ambulance Society and the P.T.A. As chairman of the Capital P.T.A. I feel I developed experience which should be of value to parents. I feel the board should have representatives with the interests of the students at heart, as well."

Mr. Christian asked Mr. Rowland: "Should public debating and speaking be a compulsory course in our schools?"

Mr. Rowland replied that he did not favor a compulsory course. He pointed out that this teaching is injected in most classes in an extra-curricular way.

Mr. Eraut revealed that public speaking classes at the night school were dropped because of lack of interest. This was a surprise to the board, he said, because it had been anticipated the response to this course would be good.

## Voting Day

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J. Rowland are opposed by Mrs. Mary Suter and E. A. Tyhurst.

Mayorality and Parks Board went by acclamation on nomination day, December 3.

Mayor Oscar Matson was re-elected to a second term. William Sanders also won reelection by acclamation while the other seat was taken by H. H. Wickett.

## FFVWU

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Resolution presented to the general membership several weeks ago, called for the presentation of the charter on December 11, providing the majority approved affiliating with the teamsters' union.

A spokesman for the FFVWU indicated the packinghouse union directors will be asked why they overruled the decision of the majority of members, when the annual convention is held next month in Penticton.

A cold, however mild, should never be neglected. It may start as a simple case of "sniffles" but may develop into pneumonia if neglected. Staying indoors and drinking plenty of milk, water and fruit juices will usually help to keep it under control.

### LEAST GOALS

Least number of goals allowed by any NHL team in one season is 43 by Montreal Canadiens in 1928-29 during a 44-game schedule, the only time an NHL club has allowed less than a goal-per-game average.

## This Fast Growing City

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Although I am leaving council, I hope it will be developed as soon as possible and I pledge myself to continue to work for it."

He said construction of a health centre is his "pet project."

"I hope to see this plan go ahead next year," he stated, "we have assurances from the government of their financial assistance and all we have to do is fall in line."

Before doing so, Mr. Allan re-

ferred to the stewardship meeting which was cancelled when only a handful of people turned out. "I can assure you of one thing," he emphasized, "and that is that we are going to give considerable thought along with the board, to live interest in next year's meeting even if we have to show a film of the world championship hockey games or hold a bingo."

Later, R. L. Sharp, vice-president of the Board of Trade, emphasized that the organization would give serious consideration to the problem of apathy in civic affairs, and would make every effort to find a cure.

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## Generosity Of Yuletide Predominant In Seasonal Activities Of Legion L.A.

Reports on the distribution of numerous Christmas gifts and plans pertaining to the presentation of others were among many matters of interest at the December meeting held last week by the Ladies' Auxiliary to Branch 40, Canadian Legion, President Mrs. Frank Braut conducted the well attended meeting.

A "thank-you" note from the house committee of the Old Age Pensioners' group was received in acknowledgment of a cash donation and Mrs. Ed Amos reported that 10 Yule parcels had been posted to overseas personnel.

Sizeable donations were made to Shaughnessy Hospital, Hycroft, Essondale, Marpole Infirmary, Tranquille through the Kamloops Auxiliary, Penticton Hospital, Salvation Army locally and \$25 to the March of Dimes. Permission to obtain extra gifts for Christmas was granted Mrs. Graham Kincaid and Mrs. Ron Dean who will visit patients in the hospital while Mrs. Richard Knight, Mrs. L. Lyons and Mrs. I. Nelson will convey gifts for shut-ins.

Mrs. Amos and Mrs. A. Esson will visit the east side and Mrs. Z. Ellis will visit the west side for the current month. Mrs. Braut will be in charge of checking for December.

Mrs. Lloyd Stokes and Mrs.

Amos will serve tea at the pensioners' club house on December 15.

Parcels for the Legion Christmas party on December 18 will be tagged on Friday, December 16, at 7:30 p.m. and all members are requested to come out and assist.

Mrs. Amos, Mrs. Frank Hayhurst and Mrs. Wilfred Gougeon were appointed to the nominating committee to present a slate at the next meeting of the auxiliary on January 31. An invitation to attend the January installation meeting will be extended to the provincial representative Mrs. Kay Anderson of Grand Forks. An application for membership from Mrs. Muriel Boas was accepted.

**MAGIC FOR LEFTOVERS**  
NEW YORK, (UP) — Combine cream of celery soup with leftover ham and rice for a hearty and easy-to-prepare casserole. Blend 1 can (1 1/4 cups) condensed cream of celery soup and 1/2 cup of milk in a 1 1/2 quart casserole. Stir in 3 cups cooked rice (1 cup uncooked will make the 3 cups), 1 cup of cubed cooked ham, 1 tablespoon of minced onion, and 1 tablespoon minced parsley. Bake in a moderate oven (375 degrees) for 25 minutes. Six servings.

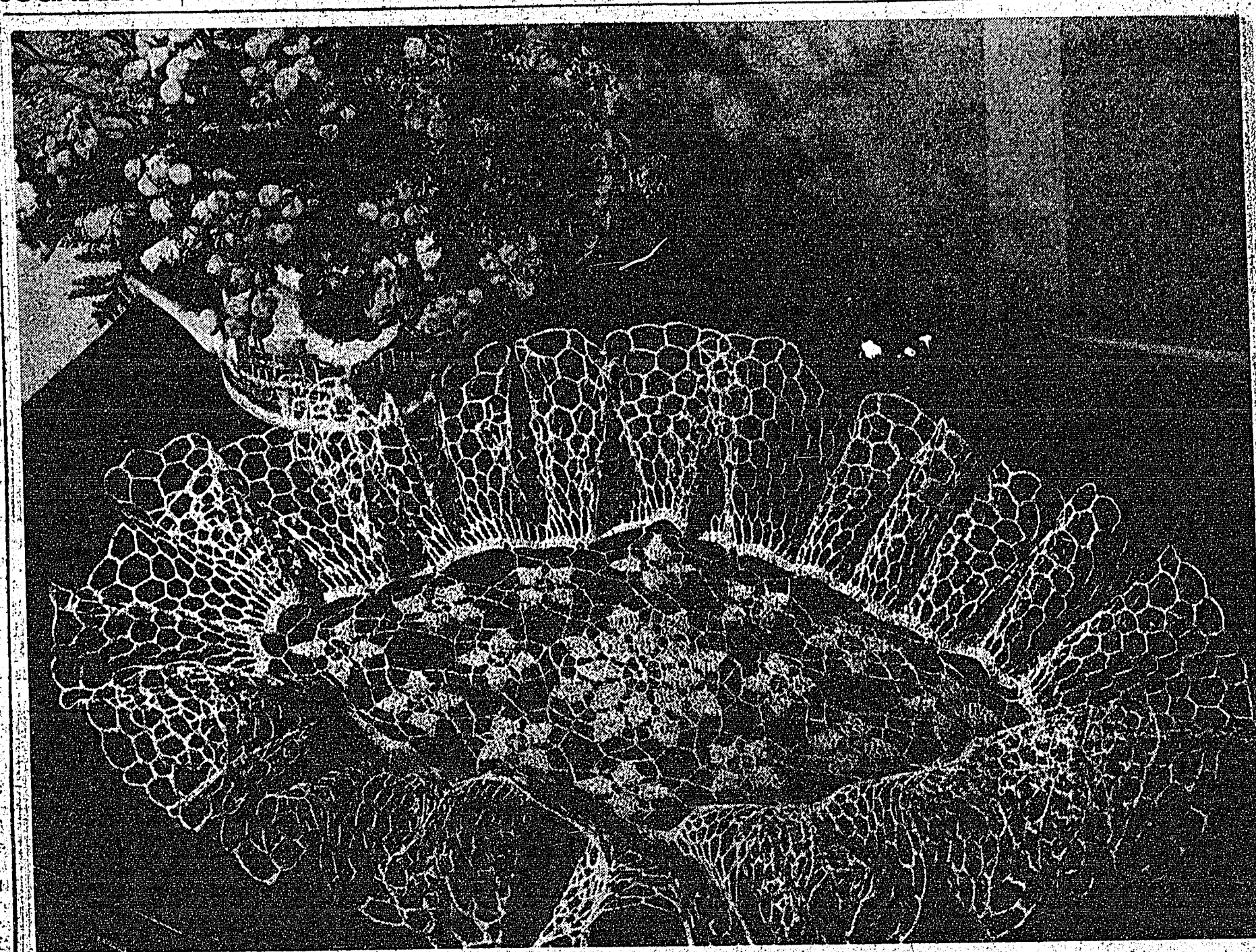
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# The Women's Page

SOCIAL EDITOR

MRS. HAROLD MITCHELL

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Handmade gifts add more to Xmas giving and are greatly appreciated. This lovely doily with a feminine touch — just right for that special person on your gift list. It is simply crocheted and will look lovely on occasional tables or as a centre piece. If you would like to have the directions for making this doily, just send a stamped, self-addressed envelope to the Needlecraft Department of this paper, requesting Diamond Setting Doily, Leaflet No. C.T. 229.

## "Reminder Letters" For T.B. Seals

Three thousand letters were mailed yesterday by the TB Christmas Seals committee of the IODE to remind the recipients of the seals to not forget their contributions to the current year's campaign.

More than 6,000 letters with seals enclosed were distributed throughout the South Okanagan last month by the committee working under the chairmanship of Mrs. H. E. Chalmers. Of this number approximately one-half have responded with the proceeds from the sale of the seals now amounting to \$3,200. The objective for this district is \$5,000.

Funds realized by the sale of Christmas seals are applied to the program of prevention and patient rehabilitation conducted by the Canadian Tuberculosis Society.

The IODE seals committee was joined by an additional 12 members who met at the home of Mrs. H. H. Boyle yesterday to address the "reminder letters".

## Naramata Will Makes Curtains For Fire Hall

NARAMATA — The December meeting of the Naramata Women's Institute was held on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. D. M. Nourse with president Mrs. J. A. Drought in the chair.

Business discussions were kept at a minimum to allow more time for the social hour arranged for the final meeting of the year. During the brief business portion of the meeting a report was submitted on the material purchased by the W.I. to make curtains for the Naramata fire hall recreational room. Work on the curtains will start early in the new year. Mrs. Donald Salting and Mrs. C. K. Raitt are in charge of this project.

Highlighting the social hour was the handicraft program when members made Christmas decorations and colorful baskets for their own use.

Refreshments served by Mrs. Nourse and Mrs. Stuart Berry concluded the very enjoyable evening.

Mrs. Philip Rounds will be hostess to the January meeting to be held at her home.

The diet of the expectant mother should be a well-balanced one and should include plenty of milk and milk products and at least three glasses of water a day.

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## Successful Tea Bazaar By SPCA

A large crowd attended the very successful "Pre-Xmas Activity Day" held on Saturday in the CP hall under the sponsorship of the Penticton branch Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Many attractive articles as well as homecooking were sold during the afternoon. Sewing was sold under the direction of Mrs. Gladys Serle and Mrs. Thomas Shippis. Miss Sheila Reade was in charge of the novel post office stall while the homecooking booth was convened by Mrs. James McLaren and Mrs. D. Love.

Tickets were sold on the panda-jean draw by Miss Rosie Owen with the winning number being sold by Mrs. Moen, ticket 122. Miss Sara Joynson was in charge of the ticket sales for the cup and saucer won by Mrs. Florence Pittman, 496 Edna avenue.

Mrs. George Kingsley and Miss Elizabeth Basford presided at the beautifully appointed tea table and members of the Junior IPCA assisted as servers.

Mrs. M. E. Carter was in charge of the tea serving with Mrs. W. Joynson assisting. Mrs. A. H. Gillett received tickets at the door.

## SALAD DRESSING DELUXE

NEW YORK, (UP) — Want to give Russian dressing a deluxe touch? Try adding sherry wine. In this recipe for 1 cup, mix 1/2 cup of mayonnaise, quarter cup of chili sauce, 2 tablespoons sherry, 2 tablespoons of drained sweet pickle relish and 1 sliced, hard-cooked egg. Serve on hearts of lettuce or as dressing for seafood or vegetable salads.



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## The Recipe Corner

### BITTER BRITTLE

Makes 1 dozen pieces.

1 cup chopped browned almonds

1 cup butter

1 cup brown sugar

1/2 cup finely chopped sweet milk chocolate

1. Combine almonds with raisins. Sprinkle half of mixture over 9 inch buttered plate or pan.

2. Place butter in frying pan, add sugar, mix thoroughly. Boil slowly, stirring constantly for 12 minutes.

3. Pour over almonds and raisins. When set but still warm, arrange chocolate over mixture.

4. It melts, spread with spatula.

5. Sprinkle remaining almonds and raisins on surface. Cool and break into pieces.

**CRABBLE SQUARES**

Makes 1 dozen

Butter-Cheese Pastry

1 (4 ounce) package cream cheese

1/2 cup butter

1/2 cups sifted pastry flour

1. Cream the cheese and butter together. Add flour, mix well. Cover and store in refrigerator several hours.

2. Roll dough to 1/8 inch thick; less, cut into 2 1/2 inch squares. Place filling on one, cover with another square. Press edges together and make small slit in top.

3. Bake in a hot oven (400 deg.) 15 to 20 minutes.

**Fruit Filling**

1/2 pound dried apricots

1/2 cup sugar

1 tablespoon lemon juice

1. Soak apricots in water 1 hour. Drain; reserve liquid.

2. Add sugar and 1/4 cup liquid to apricots and simmer about 30 minutes. Cool; add lemon juice.

**DUTCH APPLE CAKE**

1 cup sifted all-purpose flour

1/2 teaspoon baking powder

1/4 teaspoon soda

3 tablespoons sugar

1 egg

1/2 cup milk

3/4 cups pared, cored sliced apples

1/4 teaspoon cinnamon

1/4 teaspoon nutmeg

2 tablespoons melted butter

Sift dry ingredients together. Add 1 tablespoon sugar. Cut in shortening until mixture is like coarse corn meal. Stir in combined egg and milk. Blend.

Spread into greased pan 10x6x2 inches. Arrange apples in parallel rows on top with edges down. Sprinkle with sugar and cinnamon combined with nutmeg.

Butter. Bake in hot oven, 400 deg. F., for 40 to 45 minutes, or until apples are tender.

Serve warm with lemon sauce.

**Dutch Peach Cakes.** Make Dutch Apple Cake, substituting 5 fresh peeled, pared and sliced peaches in place of apples.

**Dutch Plum Cake.** Make Dutch Apple Cake, substituting 4 or 5 fresh, pitted plums for the apples. Cut plums into eighths.

**APPLESAUCE SPICE CAKE**

1 package white cake mix

1/2 teaspoon baking soda

1 teaspoon cinnamon

1/2 teaspoon nutmeg

1/2 teaspoon powdered cloves

1 cup canned applesauce

1 cup finely chopped walnuts

1/2 cup seedless raisins

Line two 8x8 inch pans with greased waxed paper. Set oven to 375 deg. F. Place mix into bowl. Add soda and spices. Add applesauce instead of milk as in package recipe. Beat as directed. Add nuts and raisins. Place in prepared pans and bake for 25 minutes, or until done. Remove from oven, and let cool in pan for 10 minutes. Peel off paper. Let cool on cake racks. Frost and fill as desired.

**St. Stephen's Elects**

**Current Term Officers**

**SUMMERLAND** — About 30 members were present at the regular meeting of the Evening Branch W.A. of St. Stephen's church held at the home of Mrs. A. J. Berry when officers for the new year were elected.

Mrs. W. C. Baker is to be the president replacing Mrs. R. A. Fredrickson who has served for two years. Mrs. Clarence Adams is the vice-president, and the secretary is Mrs. Eric Smith, who takes the place of Miss Gweneth Atkinson. Miss Elizabeth Theed will remain as the treasurer.

Mrs. J. Heavysides will take over the Little Helpers from Mrs. R. C. Luthbert for 1956.

There was discussion regarding the annual bazaar which is to be held on December 10, "Election Day" and is being convened by Mrs. A. D. Gately.

Dioecesan pledges for the year were sanctioned.

On Thursday evening Mrs. N. O. Solly gave a most interesting talk to members on the dominion dioecesan meetings which she attended in Winnipeg this fall as a delegate.

**Former City Nurse**

**Reception Honoree**

Mrs. John N. Pearson, Fairview Road, with the assistance of Mrs. John Henney and Miss Ethel Cammell entertained at an informal reception on Wednesday afternoon honoring Mrs. Donald Smith, a recent bride.

The honored guest is the former Miss Edith Campbell, R.N., who was with the nursing staff at the Penticton Hospital for some time prior to returning to her former home at Welwyn, Saskatchewan, where she was married last month.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, who are on their honeymoon, made a brief stay in this city while en route to their home at Gowan, Saskatchewan.

Among the guests at the reception, who made two presentations to Mrs. Smith, were several nurses and others with whom she was well acquainted during her earlier residence in this city.

**NARAMATA** — St. Peter's Anglican Church Sunday School children will present a Christmas pageant during the regular afternoon church service on Sunday at 3 p.m. Mrs. W. G. Clough is directing the presentation.



MR. AND MRS. MORRIS HENRY BOLTON

## Calgary Setting For Bolton - Mill Ceremony

Wedding vows and rings were exchanged in Calgary at the Prophetic Bible Institute when Miss Jean Lillian Mill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Mill of the Alberta city, became the bride of Morris Henry Bolton, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bolton of Summerland. Rev. Thomas Jones performed the evening ceremony.

## Impressive Christening At Naramata Church

NARAMATA — The Naramata United Church was the setting for a most impressive ceremony during the Sunday morning services when Rev. R. B. Stoble officiated at the christening of the three-months-old son of Rev. R. A. McLaren, principal of the Christian Leadership Training School, and Mrs. McLaren. Kenneth George were the names bestowed on the infant child.

The beauty of the ceremony was manifest in the three symbolic gifts presented at the christening: a white carnation to the mother signifying the purity of the child; the baptismal certificate to remind the small principal in years to come that he has been received into the family of God; and finally, the New Testament containing the word of God, and from which the child's parents have the privilege of teaching him.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, chose a floor length gown of white lace. Her cathedral veil, mistled from a jewelled coronet and she carried a cascading bouquet of pink roses and white lilies. She wore a single strand of pearls.

Mrs. Elsie McTavish was the bride's attendant. She was attired in a full length gown of royal blue net, wore a matching head-dress of pink carnations and carried a bouquet styled of matching blooms.

William Mill was best man while Gerald Armstrong and Fred McCall ushered the guests. Soloist Victor Harbridge sang "O Perfect Love" and "Because" during the signing of the register.

A reception followed in the York Hotel where the bridal toast was proposed by Lewis Johnson. Mr. and Mrs. Bolton will take up residence in Summerland following a honeymoon to a Lake Okanagan resort.



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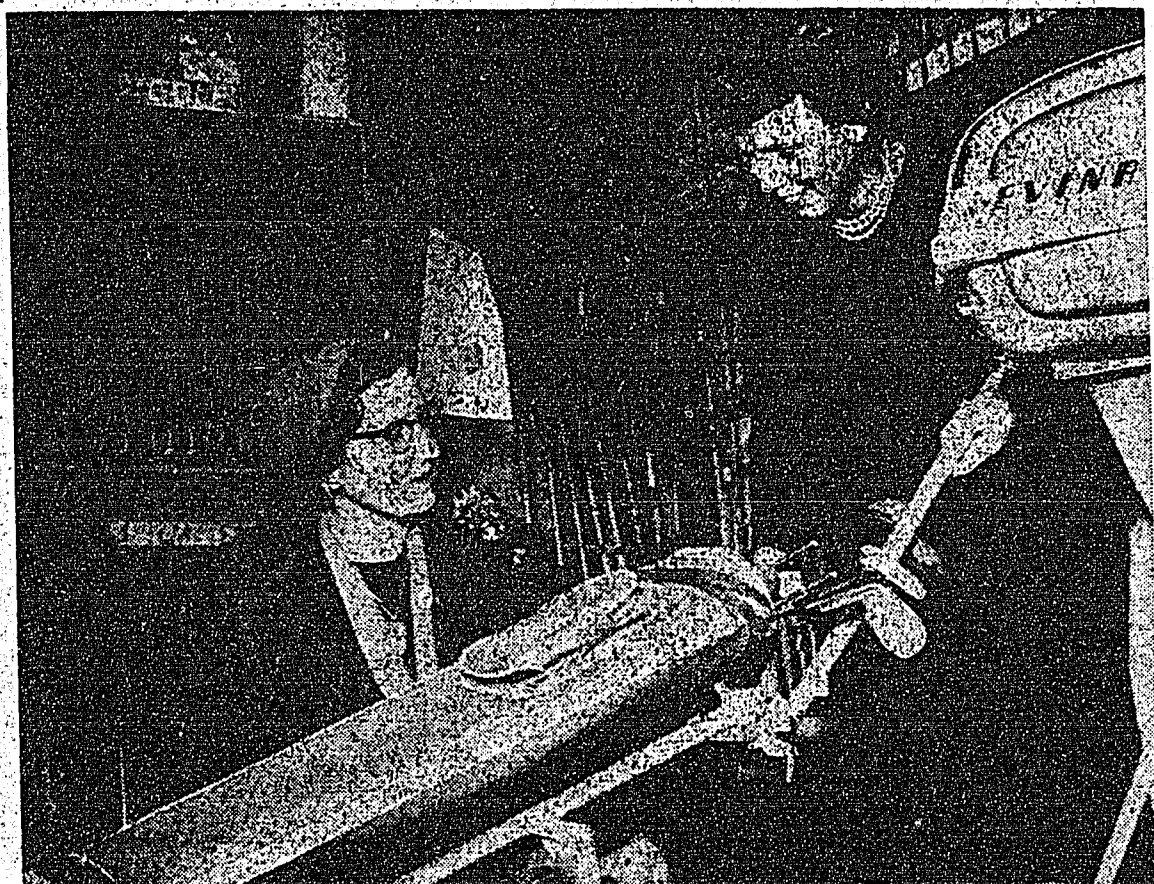
Curly Says . . . "A fish in the pan is worth two in the lake!" and here we see Curly explaining the finer points of the new G-E Electric Fry Pan to Mrs. Pentiction. This pan is ideal for that quick breakfast, it gives the required heat in seconds, its regular price is \$19.95 but at Curly's you can buy it at a gift price of \$17.95. **CURLY'S APPLIANCES LTD., 474 Main St.,** have a wonderful display of small appliance gifts, all specially priced.



Gifts from the four winds of the seven seas are unfolded here like the pages of a storybook. Ian Mackie of **MACKIE IMPORTS REGISTERED** has reached out to all corners of the earth to bring the exotic jewellery of the East, the perfumes of France, the fresh blue Delft of Holland, colourful and flaring skirts of old Mexico! Mrs. Pentiction spent a delightful hour with Mrs. Mackie.



"I am sure going to enjoy wearing these after this shopping trip," says Mrs. Pentiction to Ted Leany at **GEDDYS BOOT SHOP, 368 Main St.** Ted has been dispensing foot comfort for many years and has at his disposal the most up-to-date X-ray equipment for perfect fitting. Geddys have a wonderful display of slippers, men's boots and shoes, ladies' shoes and matching handbags, nylon stockings in the famous Orient brand . . . all at gift prices!



A man's handicap at golf is usually his wife, but not our Mrs. Pentiction! Being a good sportswoman herself, we see her here at the South Okanagan's centre for sportsgoods, **PYE & HILLIARD's**. Vicki Gibbs, who lives with sports equipment every day, is seen discussing the gift with our shopper. Here is a sportman's paradise which boasts "whatever the sport, we have the gift."



"Now, now, Mrs. Pentiction, don't let this one go to your head . . ." take the advice of Mrs. K. Bonham, who has crowned many thousands of ladies during her long association with the millinery business. Mrs. Bonham believes that a woman's crowning glory is a chic hat, chosen and fitted with care and regard to the ensemble. In addition you will find an accessory to match almost any suit dress or coat at **K. BONHAM'S, 403 Martin St.**



The Men's Wear Men at **BRYANT & HILL** are most alert when it comes to rescuing damsels in distress . . . our Mrs. Pentiction's tie and sock problem was solved in a matter of minutes by Len Hill, pictured above, an expert in taste and discrimination when it comes to choosing a tie or pair of socks to match the suit and personality. The gay ties, above, are priced from a dollar each up to \$2.50.



Attracted by the lovely window display at **THE FASHION CENTRE, 274 Main St.**, Mrs. Pentiction dropped in to meet Alice M. Howard, the proprietress, and in turn was introduced to Miss Sun Valley, Fashion Centre's exclusive line of ladies' wear. She is admiring a beautiful Miss Sun Valley party skirt in figured taffeta, priced at \$14.95. Alice Howard maintains that Pentiction women are the best dressed in B.C. and has chosen her stock accordingly.



Having countless relatives and friends to remember, Mrs. Pentiction discusses her Christmas Card problem with Frank Rogers, the genial operator of Pentiction's 5c to \$1.00 Store, next door to the Post Office. The Box held by Mrs. Pentiction contains 21 cards and is priced at 59c, while the box in Frank's hand contains 51 cards for \$1.00. All gifts at Frank's store are priced to please.



This is where the sound advice of a man who has been in the business of apparel all his life, really pays off . . . Mrs. Pentiction and Tom Gibson of **GIBSON'S STYLE SHOP, 350 Main St.**, are pictured here where style, material, color and above all prices are the main consideration. The astute buying of Mr. and Mrs. Gibson assure you of the right present at the right price in ladies' apparel.



When Mrs. Pentiction dropped in at **TAYLOR'S PHARMACY, 173 Main St.**, she had almost run out of ideas, but after a quiet browse among Earl Taylor's colorful and fragrant displays of soaps, cosmetics and perfumes, and a helpful chat with Earl himself she was quickly back on the buying beam! We see her here admiring a Yardley travel kit priced at \$7.50. In the background you will see other famous-name cosmetic kits in a wide price range.



Christmas is best known to us all as "The Children's Feast" . . . the most exciting day of the year for the little people who breathlessly await Santa's gifts. Mrs. Pentiction wanders happily through a wonderland of exquisite clothes in miniature at **DEAN'S TOTS-N-TEENS, 243 Main St.** Delightful dresses to bring stars to the eyes of little girls or tough jeans 'n shirts for junior, Bert Doan has everything for the crawler, the toddler, the tot and the teen.



Mrs. Pentiction thought she was going to need an adding machine when she started on the shopping tour but found the "home town" prices so reasonable that she settled for a Portable Typewriter for a special gift item at **KNIGHT & MOWATT OFFICE SUPPLIES, 125 Main Street.** Here she found that Marilyn McLeod had many suggestions such as Paper-mate Pens gift-boxed \$1.98, ideas galore.



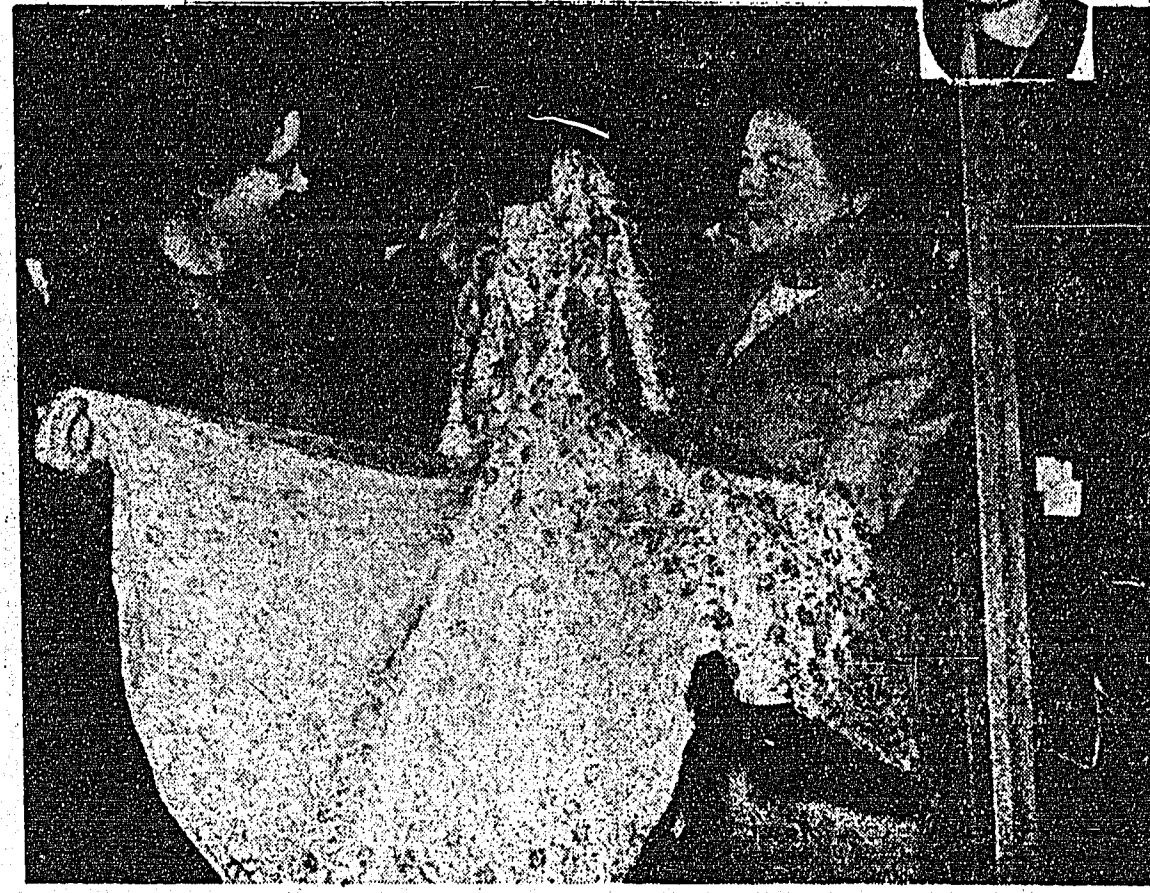
# OUR OWN FINE "HOME-TOWN" STORES



When Santa Claus made his recent visit to the HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY by helicopter, the throng of children and parents was so great that Mrs. Pentiction never did get up to the tremendous toy department on the second floor! But here she is finally, at a less busy moment, choosing gifts for little nieces and nephews from the array of children's gifts, in just one of many Bay departments.



The language of flowers is perhaps the most eloquent of all . . . it is understood and appreciated by everyone. Flowers convey your thoughts and wishes in a way you cannot express in words. Mrs. Pentiction, accompanied by Swannie Wood of Wenatchee, pauses with Mrs. Montague among the moss of blooms in Monty's huge greenhouses . . . MONTY'S flowers convey your wishes across the street or across the continent. Ideal for every occasion.



"How could anyone ever think of going out-of-town to shop for Christmas?" asks Mrs. Howard Patton, as she agreed to pose as "Mrs. Pentiction" in a photo tour of local stores proving it pays to shop at home. Our thanks to Mrs. Patton for helping with our survey of these local stores.



Unusual as it may seem, here we find two ladies in perfect agreement . . . Mrs. Pentiction has found a store where Christmas and gifts are synonymous . . . DOROTHY'S GIFT SHOP, next door to the Capitol Theatre. Dorothy has given a great deal of careful thought during the year in choosing the gifts you are sure to choose for Christmas . . . bone china, plaques, ornaments, copperware etc.



Mrs. Pentiction nearly fainted when hubby told her to go out and buy a new fur coat for Christmas! The dishes were left in the sink, beds left unmade and instead of running the vacuum cleaner, Mrs. Pentiction was running the car, but fast, to PENTICTON FURRIERS & TAILORS where she is shown trying on a silky, luxurious muskrat coat with smiling Charlie Asman, the genial proprietor.



In the end, Grant King himself came to the rescue . . . Mrs. Pentiction had been so taken with the wonderful display and wide choice of men's wear in the store that's always "First with the Finest" that she found it delightfully impossible to make up her mind! Mr. Pentiction is going to be mighty happy come Christmas as a result of her profitable visit to GRANT KING'S MENS WEAR.



"And you don't have to worry about your figure", says smiling Bill Bell at HENDRY'S CAKE SHOP, 418 Main St., because the high quality ingredients in their Christmas Cakes are carefully chosen and mixed by experts who take a personal pride in their craft. Mrs. Pentiction was able to choose not only her Christmas cake but also a wide variety of delicious small cakes and cookies for parties, etc.



"Now what can I buy to keep that man of mine busy?" CLARKE'S BUILDING SUPPLIES, Nanaimo Ave., have the answer. Here we see Mrs. Pentiction talking it over with Frank O'Connell who can think of more ways to keep husbands happy by the right choice of materials and tools for do-it-yourself projects. If in doubt, however, Frank will suggest a Gift Certificate and let hubby choose.



The festive season! A new dress! And so Mrs. Pentiction's shopping trip leads her to the friendly ROBINSON'S STORE at 239 Main St. where that genial couple, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wylie are always in attendance. Mindful of her budget, Mrs. Pentiction's choice is here being discussed by Mrs. Wylie with Mrs. Downes pointing out the merits of the lovely crushed satin dress priced at only \$12.95.



No Christmas party would be complete without Royal Ice Cream . . . here we see Mrs. Pentiction convincing herself of the unsurpassed quality of ROYAL ICE CREAM. After a chat and a personal demonstration by Walter Wouters, the guardian of the secrets which go to make this delightful and wholesome treat fit for a queen, she continues her shopping tour happy in the thought that she has chosen wisely for her Christmas Party.



While on her shopping tour Mrs. Pentiction took time out to see the special demonstration of the wonderful Pfaff sewing machine at BETTS ELECTRIC LTD., 265 Main St. She is shown above with Mrs. Martin and Miss Somers, admiring the intricate embroidery work done so simply by the world's most wanted electric sewing machine. Other gift problems were solved here by Betts' big stock of lamps, small and large household appliances etc.



It was not "Kismet" that brought Mrs. Pentiction to GREYELL'S RECORD BAR, 384 Main St., it was her love of good music. We see her here "Comparing the Hits" with Mandy Yule, the new manageress of the Record Bar. Mandy is on nodding terms with every name in music from Fats Waller to Arturo Toscanini. Here she found music for every mood . . . records priced from 38 cents to \$5.95 to bring a gift of music into the homes of her friends.



# Sports Pourri

By SID GODBER

Don't panic! Sports Pourri-rides again, but not for long. I'm filling in, along with Vince Duggan in keeping the sports page going until another sports editor is found to replace John Yeomans, who thinks the advertising field a much greener pasture than newspapering, hence his departure Wednesday for Vancouver and the start of a new career. So, it's good luck to you John Yeomans — and now to the task in hand — gimme my fur-lined earmuffs a good stiff brush to scrub up my hockey memories and sports pourri rides again.

I must confess that if The Herald had to lose its sports writer in something of a hurry, I'm glad it happened at this time. Seems fitting that one who rode with the Vees to their dizzy pinnacles of triumph should be with them in their hour of mortification.

Not that this column is feeling particularly mortified, or even despondent, a trifle peeved, perhaps, that the Vernon Canadians, even this early on, look like winning the league championship in a canter, but I still hold to the opinion I expressed some time ago that, if any Okanagan league team is going to win the Allan Cup, it will be the Penticton Vees.

I'm not indulging in wishful thinking either. Despite statistics and how they look on the ice I contend that the Penticton Vees of 1955-56 season are much, much stronger than the team which went to the Allan Cup final in 1953. I think this season's Vees are stronger than the never-to-be-forgotten team which won the Allan Cup in 1954 and even the team which won the World Amateur Hockey Championship last spring didn't pack the power which at the moment is lying dormant in this season's edition of the Vees.

On the overall shuffle I would say that the Vees have gained, except for the loss of George McAvoy — and we've got defencemen who could match McAvoy, if they'll do what he did, that is stay back. This is a fast league and I can't name a defencemen among the whole caboodle who can break even with some of the streaks in this league. It sounds screwy to say that a team is too offensive-minded, but that, I think, is the key which opened the basement door to the Vees. When the Vees go for goals they go for goals — they're not, with one or two exceptions, a backchecking team, and consequently a bigger burden is thrown on the defense. The Vees just have to have at least one, fifty-minute if need be, defenceman, a la McAvoy, who will stay far enough back to nail those floaters and to put a crimp in some of those breakaways that are resulting in cheap goals and in game losses that should have been victories.

Foregoing is a lot of conclusion considering that I haven't, for good and sufficient reasons, been following hockey any too close this year. But I do know the Vees and I do know that the iron is burning deep — and one of these days, any day now — that iron will reach the powder and the Vees will skyrocket.

Time is getting short, coaches are busy sharpening the axe to lop off heads until the legal limit of 13 players is reached. Deadline December 15. I'm not giving any credence to whispers that Johnny Sofiak is in competition for the goal spot. I'd like to see Johnny sticking around as a spare goalie, but with all due respect to his goal-keeping ability I don't think he can match Ivan McLelland over the long pull. Kamloops coach Kev Conway evidently isn't too happy he's gone to the bald-headed prairies, looking for hockey ivory.

A lot of things seem to be conspiring against hockey this winter. The weather is one of them, folks are hugging the firesides these nights. But we can't go much about the weather. Then there's the refereeing, which surely someone ought to be able to do something about. There's rumblings all along the line — no one seems happy with the refereeing but Vernon and up there they have the referees right in their mitts, so to speak. And there's the schedule, an abortion if ever there was one. How the clubs' executives came to accept it, I don't know. We're playing hockey almost every night in the week. Penticton was made to take Friday, because no one else wanted it; that was when Penticton was the very small voice, so we took Friday and made it into hockey night. In Penticton and now this season, hockey night is hopping all over the place. Four teams in the league and we can't even get a Boxing Day or New Year's Day game in Penticton. As the Cockney might say, "blimey we ain't 'alf gettin' mucked abhart."

## Canadians Win Another

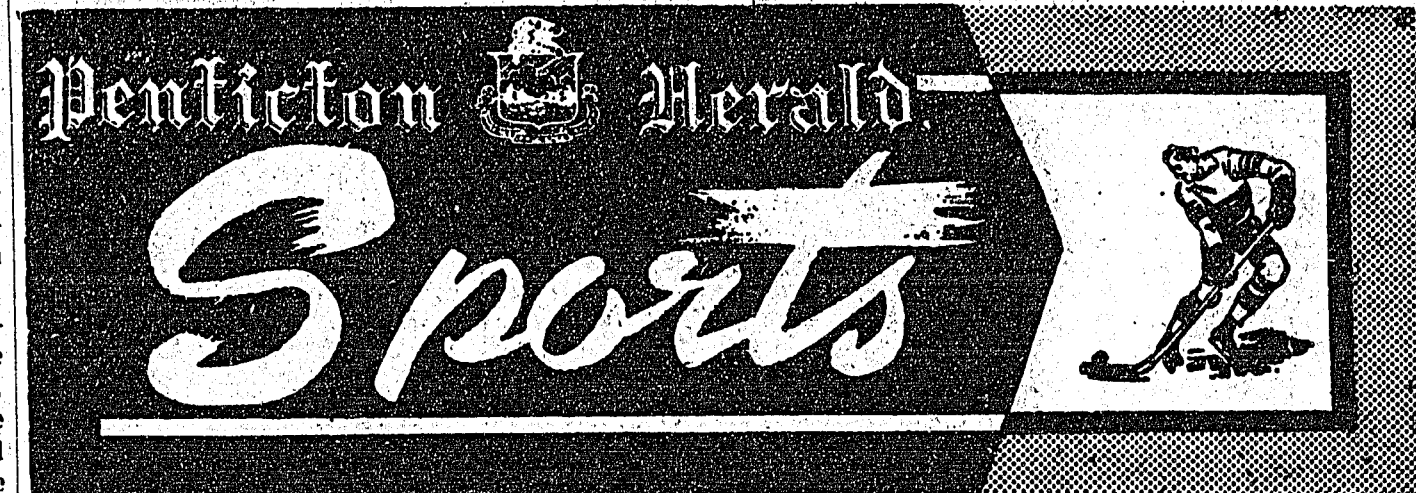
KELOWNA — Vernon Canadians continued their winning ways in the OSHL, edging out Kelowna Packers 5-2 in overtime on Kelowna ice.

Coach George Agar scored the first goal for his squad, getting the lone

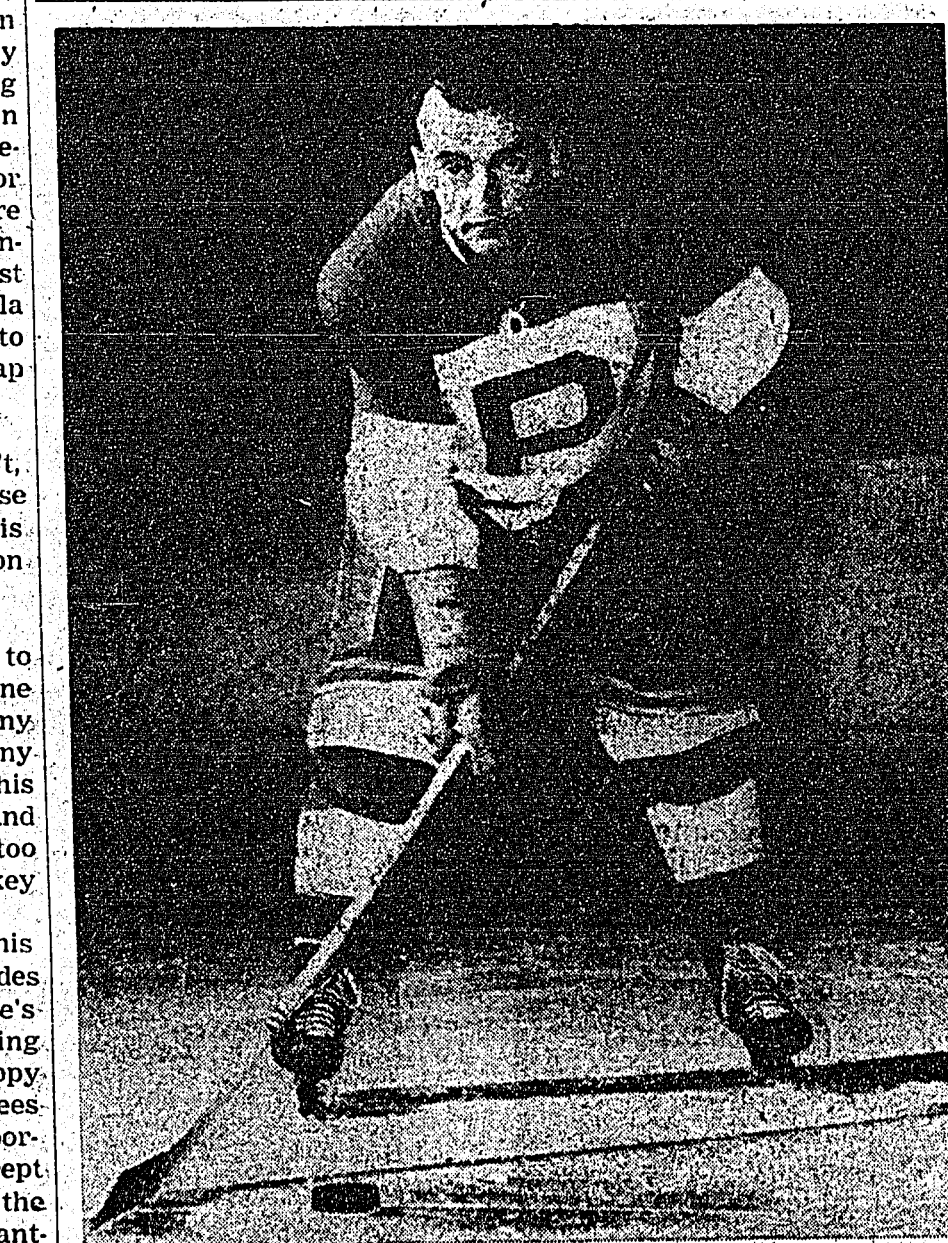
counter in the first period. Bill Jones tied things up at 5:17 and just past the half-way mark Odie Lowe put Vernon ahead.

Brian Roche came back with the tying goal at the three quarter mark and both teams pressed the rest of the period.

The third period was scoreless. Hustling and hot in the overtime frame, Art Hart came through with the one that counted and Agar netted his second on a lone rush. Walt Trentini put the tin hat on it with two seconds to go adding another counter.



## Will Vees Shake Losing Streak?



JACK TAGGART... still on the sidelines

General agreement that what happened to the Vees on Tuesday night shouldn't happen to any hockey squad forms the backbone of the team's determination to make tonight's joust with the Packers a winning one.

Vees dropped a heartbreaker 6-4 to Vernon Canadians in overtime although they outplayed the league-leading Canucks almost all the way.

Tonight's story might be different. For one thing, being cellar-dwellers is a new experience for the men in green, and an unpleasant one.

For another, with the league season more than half over there's a rough and rocky road from cellar position to the top spot where Vernon is presently firmly entrenched.

Combinations Coach Grant Warwick will throw against the Packers tonight are as well guarded as top speed of a supersonic jet.

Two regulars will be missing, defenseman Jack Taggart on the sidelines nursing a back injury, and Bill Warwick sitting out the last of his six-game suspension. Bill will be eligible for action tomorrow night against the Elks in Kamloops.

In their six encounters this season, Vees and Packers have split evenly, each winning three. Vees took both games on Kelowna ice, one at home and the Packers won three here. Game time is 8 p.m.

### Penticton versus Kamloops

## Double Date Tomorrow For Basketball Fans

A big, double basketball date is in store for fans at the Penticton High School Gymnasium tomorrow night and action aplenty is forecast for the twin fixture.

Besides the usual inter-city rivalry between Penticton and Kamloops, league leadership is at stake in the Senior B women's tilt while the local Senior B men are hoping for a win which would jump them into a second place tie in league standings.

Penticton Kencos and Kamloops K-Jets toss up at 8 p.m. with the Kamloops girls still smarting over defeat last year at the hands of Penticton, when the locals won the two-game series by one point and went on to take the interior championship.

Winner in this game will take over sole possession of league leadership as the two teams are tied for first place and Kencos will be out to extend their four-game winning streak.

Cranna's Omegas will try to capitalize on Jack McKinnon's absence from the Kamloops Merchants' lineup, sitting out a two-game suspension for a hassle with a referee. Game time for the men's fixture is 9 p.m.

Last season, in one game here, McKinnon turned in a spectacular performance which netted him an outstanding 50 points.

Kelowna leads in the men's league.

The Kenco lineup... Joyce Turis, who was injured at Kelowna last Thursday, has her leg in a cast and will be out of action probably until the end of January.

To replace this top guard, Dennis Jeffery, team coach, reports that he has Jane Corbett out. Jane was a top school player and is at present teaching the girls' P.E. at the high school.

Jane is a sharp shooter and should be a real help to the team.

Diane Hutchison is signed with the team. Diane is from Summerland and looks to be of real assistance in a guard position.

The lineup looks like this: Diane Hutchison, Mary Brlekovich, and Jane Corbett, on the guard spot. (Sheila White will likely be out of action until next week following illness); on the forward line Joan Buffum, Marlene Akins, Miriam Dennis, Pearl Hooker, and at centre that tower of strength, Del Herbert, with Jo Buegart to spell her off.

Cranna's Omegas are looking stronger every game they play, and are hungry for a win. Look for them to give the Kamloops team a real battle. Omegas have several new players and they are just beginning to work with such reliable regulars as Ted Bowsfield, Ted Foley-Bennett and Jim Langridge. Dennis Jeffery is improving in the guard slot along with Bill Ohlhausen. Forwards

## Skiers Prepare For Big Season At Meadow Valley

"Ski Hell" will echo in Meadow Valley on Sunday as enthusiasts take to the hills for the first time this winter.

Skiers, unlike most citizens, are wearing broad smiles these days as they view with happiness the white-capped hills.

In preparation for winter skiing, members of the Summerland Ski Club held their annual meeting in the Library at Summerland High School, last night.

It was decided to install a new motor on the tow at the ski hill.

Members also approved operation of a bus to pick up skiers in Penticton, transport them to Summerland where they will be joined by other enthusiasts of this outdoor sport and take them to the Valley.

A good season is anticipated and conditions for skiing are rated good.

Election of officers resulted in Don Hermiston, of West Summerland, being named as president; Harold Donald of Penticton, vice president; Rita Hermiston of West Summerland, secretary; Jane Corbett of Penticton, treasurer; and five directors: Bob Weitzel, Penticton; Jack Dalrymple, Penticton; Walter Powell, West Summerland; George Pennington, West Summerland; Harvie Walker, Penticton.

## "Cis" Kloster Bows Pronto Pups To League's Top Spot

Pronto Pups took over first place in the Women's Commercial Bowling League, Wednesday night, behind the brilliant tossing of Captain "Cis" Kloster who posted a 319 single and a 715 triple.

The Pups had to be content with two points, however, as Inkys, paced by Olive Carter's 254 single and Betty Evans' 626 triple, racked up the night's high single of 1013.

Pat Cousins shot a 262 single and had a 671 triple to lead Cranna's to three game honors of 2706 and three points over Woolworth.

Pat Garrison's 626 triple and Helen Wickham's 218 single were the best as Greyhounds got three points from Neve Newtons.

Sophie Gabelheit checked in with a 232 single to help Inkys to three points over Hasbeens. Grace Waterman rolled a couple of 200's games for the losers.

Frank Scott and Ian MacKenzie look better every time out. Old timers Ron Dow and Eric Boulton are both doubtful starters but a newcomer Reg Higgins of Chilliwack looks like a real prospect. The Omegas have another couple of boys out to practice but are anxious to make the right choice when they fill out their slate of 12 and will ask them to come to further practices.

A preliminary game between Penticton Bantams and a bantam team from either Summerland or Kelowna starts at 7 p.m.

In the final action, Jean Towler came through with a 238 single as Doolittles won three points from the Lawnbowlers.

The Penticton Retreading of the Commercial Five Pin League, stretched their league lead to three points on Wednesday night as they swept three games from Modern Radio.

Curve ball artist Bill Briggs was the big gun once again as he paced the team with a 331 single and had a splendid 873 triple.

Toby Emmerick provided great support as he checked in with a 761 triple which enabled the Tire Shop to tie the season record of 1882 for a single game and post the night's high three of 3446.

The Three Gables Hotel hung up three 1100 games and put the skids under the Oliver Hotel for all three games. Ron Swift was the hero as he shot a good 717 threesome.

Art Malkinson continued to find the range as he rolled a 296 single and had an 804 triple to pace Lawn Bowlers to three points over the K. of C. Gordon Lines' 647 and Leno Peder's 638 were the pick of the Knights.

Bill Finck's 283 and Reg Greenwood's 279 combined to keep CPR in second place as their team got three points from Skaha Lake. John Lednicki's 672 was the best for the latter.

Elsewhere, Don Humm's 284 single (629) led Howard and White Motors to three points over the D. and N. Body Shop.

### Women's Curling

New schedule for the Women's Curling Club is slated for the first week in January and will include a re-draw of rinks with 21 teams in play. These rinks and personnel are published elsewhere on this page.

Registration of five new rinks took place at a skip meeting held at the Granite Club lounge, on Tuesday night.

Final week's draw in the first half of the women's curling season, is as follows:

Dec. 12, 1 p.m. — McGown vs. Carson; Enns vs. Mather; Finnelly vs. Carberry; Goodfellow vs. Johnson; 5 p.m. — Hines vs. Cumberland; McLachlan vs. Ellis; Cause vs. Troyer; Hill vs. Steele.

Dec. 13, 1 p.m. — Peterson vs. Finnelly; McGown vs. Hines; Carson vs. Mather; Enns vs. Carberry.

Dec. 15, 1 p.m. — Cumberland vs. Carson; Goodfellow vs. Cause; Peterson vs. Hines; Enns vs. Ellis. 3 p.m. — McGown vs. Mather; Odell vs. Finnelly; Troyer vs. Hill.

Dec. 16, 1 p.m. — Cumberland vs. Hill; Cause vs. Hines; Goodfellow vs. Carson; Johnson vs. McLachlan.

Dec. 17, 1 p.m. — Peterson vs. Finnelly; McGown vs. Hines; Carson vs. Mather; Enns vs. Carberry.

Dec. 18, 1 p.m. — Cumberland vs. Carson; Goodfellow vs. Cause; Peterson vs. Hines; Enns vs. Ellis. 3 p.m. — McGown vs. Mather; Odell vs. Finnelly; Troyer vs. Hill.

Dec. 19, 1 p.m. — Cumberland vs. Hill; Cause vs. Hines; Goodfellow vs. Carson; Johnson vs. McLachlan.

Dec. 20, 1 p.m. — Peterson vs. Finnelly; McGown vs. Hines; Carson vs. Mather; Enns vs. Carberry.

Dec. 21, 1 p.m. — Cumberland vs. Carson; Goodfellow vs. Cause; Peterson vs. Hines; Enns vs. Ellis. 3 p.m. — McGown vs. Mather; Odell vs. Finnelly; Troyer vs. Hill.

Dec. 22, 1 p.m. — Cumberland vs. Hill; Cause vs. Hines; Goodfellow vs. Carson; Johnson vs. McLachlan.

Dec. 23, 1 p.m. — Peterson vs. Finnelly; McGown vs. Hines; Carson vs. Mather; Enns vs. Carberry.

Dec. 24, 1 p.m. — Cumberland vs. Carson; Goodfellow vs. Cause; Peterson vs. Hines; Enns vs. Ellis. 3 p.m. — McGown vs. Mather; Odell vs. Finnelly; Troyer vs. Hill.

## Orderly Thinning Rather Than Mass Slaughter, Says Game Commissioner

Success of this year's hunting should not be classified as butchery but rather one of an orderly thinning out, in the opinion of Commissioner H. R. Butler, of the B.C. Game Commission.

The excess of wild life accounts for the large numbers of animals and birds being killed, he said, and should not be interpreted as a mass slaughter.

Mr. Butler was guest speaker at the highly successful annual banquet of the Penticton Fish and Game Club.

Over 200 persons attended the event, held aboard SS Sclamous, and feasted on wild game.

Highlight of the evening was the presentation of a pair of binoculars by the Penticton club to Game Warden Adam Monks, who is retiring.

The presentation was made in appreciation of the lifetime service of good work given by Mr. Monks.

Mr. Butler was high in his praise of Mr. Monks' work and said that attending the presentation was one of the main reasons he had come from Vancouver.

Mr. Butler spoke on the present hunting situation and laws. Films on wildlife were shown, including one on what to do when lost in the woods.

13. Mary Carberry, Dora Crawford, Esther Kernaghan, Marilyn Flitton.

14. Elsie O'Dell, Jean Miglins, Mabel Thom, Dora Bertin.

15. Mary Johnson, Min Potley, Isabelle Geddes, Stella Roy nolds.

16. Noreen Batterbury, Marge McMurray, Lavona Wilsie, Mary Perkins.

17. Zelma Ellis, Madeline Arsen, Burt Winton, Mrs. Beator.

18. Merle Finnelly, Eileen Grove, Hazel Brodie, Grace Richardson.

19. Alma Hill, Vi James, Martha Hainerson, Dot Vandenburg, 20. Esther Carse, Kay Berger, Yvonne McNamee, Genda Kiffin.

21. Ruby Cumberland, Lyn Schjodt, Muriel Veneer, Kity Houlden.

### Lady Curlers List Rinks For New Year Sked

Ladies of the Penticton Granite Club will start a new schedule on January 3 and the list of rinks and their personnel is published below: Packinghouse workers who have finished the season's work need not, however, wait until January before getting at the 'hoar'n' game as they are cordially invited to turn out as soon as they are free to do so.

1. Joyce Swan, Mildred Dirks, Edith Walker, A. Worthington.

2. Grace McLachlan, Mrs. Peterson, Lulu Hugo, Lella Patterson.

3. Ronnie Carson, Pearl Betts, Olive Carter, Malvia Fairburn.

4. Lil Tyler, Noreen Swanson, Zinae Burt, B. Smith.

5. Ann Troyer, Irene Hack, M. Wilkie, Winnie English.

6. Maigo Steele, Joan Marlow, Esther Baulkham, Myrtle Watson.

7. Charlene Enns, Eda Dagg, Evelyn Sharpe, Pat Cripps.

8. Gladys Mather, Myrtle Johnston, Grace Corcoran, Julie Morris.

9. Connie McGown, Al Morgan, Billy Jamieson, Edith Boyd.

10. Ethel Barton, Eva Lye, Lil Humes, Francis Richter.

11. Eva Goodfellow, Pat McDonald, Ethel Tily, Sybil Almasay.

12. Dot Hines, Ina Gulle, Mabel Ferguson, Lil McLeod.

13. Mary Carberry, Dora Crawford, Esther Kernaghan, Marilyn Flitton.

14. Elsie O'Dell, Jean Miglins, Mabel Thom, Dora Bertin.

### Men's Curling Draw For Monday

Dec. 12, 7 p.m. — Carson vs. Riddell; Cranna vs. Nicholl; Cumberland vs. Sobchuck; McKay vs. Walker; 9 p.m. — McMurray vs. Wiley; Bearcroft vs. P. Mather; Watson vs. Brittain; Gibson vs. Dirks.

### Arena Schedule

SATURDAY, December 10— 7:30 to 10:00 — Minor hockey — Free Bantam

10:30 to 12:00 — Junior Figure Skating

12:00 to 1:00 — The Toddlers 1:30 to 3:30 — CHILDREN'S SKATING SESSION

4:00 to 7:30 — Wings vs. Canadians; Leafs vs. Hawks; Bruins vs. Rangers

8:00 to 10:00 — Oliver High School Skating Party — Private

SUNDAY, December 11— 8:15 to 9:45 — Club 18 10:15 to 1:15 — Industrial Hockey

2 p.m. — Kelowna Juveniles vs. Penticton

4:30 to 6:00 — Junior Figure Skating

6:00 to 8:00 — Senior Figure Skating

8:30 to 10:30 — KINSMEN SKATING SESSION

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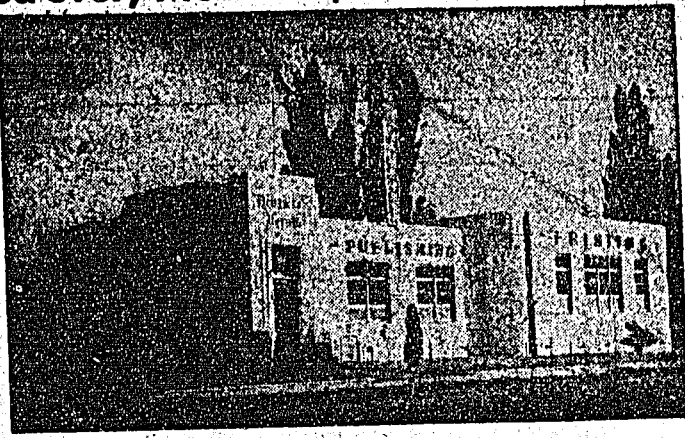
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## BIRTHS

JOHNSON — Born to Mr. and  
Mrs. Edward J. Johnson; (nee  
Peggy Jackson) in the Royal  
Inland Hospital, Kamloops, B.  
C., on November 30th, a son,  
Brian Grant, six pounds, eleven  
and a half ounces.

## DEATHS

MATHEWS — Passed away in  
Vancouver, December 5, Mrs.  
Laura Mathews, formerly of 439  
Hanson St., Penticton, aged 92  
years. Survived by one son, E. D.  
K. Mathews, Dublin, Ireland; one  
brother, Walter K. King, Ottawa;  
one sister, Stella B. Dafeo, Pen-  
ticton. Cremation took place in  
Vancouver. A Memorial Service  
will be held in the Penticton Fun-  
eral Chapel, Saturday, December  
10th, at 2 p.m., Christian Science  
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## WEDDINGS

The marriage is announced of  
Mrs. Eileen, daughter of Mr. and  
Mrs. R. L. Overend to Albert  
Michael Gawne, son of Mr. and  
Mrs. J. E. (Bud) Gawne of Na-  
ramata. The wedding took place  
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loops Legion, Thurs. 12:5 p.m.;  
Vernon, 3107, 31 Ave., Mon. thru  
Sat. 9:5 p.m. 136-138Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a  
Vlezwaster and sum-  
mer suits for Christmas.  
Mummy says you can  
get them at Stocks.  
Love,  
Linda. 138-141ARE YOU TOO SKINNY?  
You're probably nervous, high  
strung... why not relax every  
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## LEGALS

## NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that  
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Legislative Assembly of the  
Province of British Columbia at  
its next session on behalf of  
Canadian Pacific Railway Com-  
pany for an Act vesting in it the  
assets, powers, rights, privileges,  
franchises, effects and properties  
of the railway companies  
listed in the First Schedule here-  
to (all wholly owned subsidiaries  
of Canadian Pacific Railway  
Company) on assumption by Cana-  
dian Pacific Railway Company  
of all the respective debts, liabil-  
ities, obligations and duties of the  
said companies and thereupon to  
have dissolved the companies  
listed in the Second Schedule and  
to repeal the Acts listed in the  
Third Schedule.DATED at Vancouver, B.C.,  
this 21st day of November, A.D.  
1955.F. H. BRITTON,  
Solicitor for the Applicant  
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Railway and Navigation Com-  
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Company.  
The Kootenay Central Railway  
Company.SECOND SCHEDULE  
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pany.THIRD SCHEDULE  
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way and Navigation Company  
Act, 1889 — Statutes of British  
Columbia (1889) Ch. 35.  
Kootenay Central Railway  
Company Act, 1903 — Statutes  
of British Columbia (1903) Ch.  
35. F-132-141NOTICE TO THE CUTTERS  
Contracts may be obtained on  
and after December 1st, 1955,  
from the Acting Chief Engineer  
of Construction, Pacific Great  
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Penticton, B.C. Phone 2837Winter Work Program Readies  
Incola Hotel For Summer RushIn the midst of winter, the  
Incola Hotel is preparing for  
summer."And not just next summer,"  
explains Don Embury, the re-  
sourceful and live-minded owner  
of these premises which have,  
for so many years, been a fea-  
ture of Penticton's lakeshore.  
"We are developing a program  
which we are convinced will  
make the hotel an expanding and  
valuable part of the community's  
attractions, in next summer's  
season, and for every summer  
afterwards."Most noted by the general pub-  
lic in passing by is the develop-  
ment by which an attractive  
knotty-pine construction is en-  
closing the Incola's whole ver-  
andah, a place of traditional af-  
fection in the district's memory.This arrangement has an im-  
mediate value, of course, as well  
as fitting into the summer and  
tourist season pattern.It will seal off the north wind,  
which has often given the hotel  
a rather bothersome time of it  
in the past. But from now on  
the comfortable warmth in the  
lobby, which has, despite diffi-  
culties, always been another tra-  
dition of the hotel, will be more  
efficiently ensured.Mr. Embury has plans for the  
verandah foyer now being creat-  
ed.The community, he feels, has  
always wanted and needed a  
pleasant setting in which after-  
noon teas, breakfasts, and cof-  
ees can be served, while guests  
enjoy the view. The hotel has an  
unexcelled view to offer through  
the capacious windows now being  
put in, and next year will see the  
start of Mr. Embury's plan to  
create this attractive service. A  
planting area will be included  
within the verandah space, and  
a general renovation will be fi-  
nally achieved.Meanwhile plans are going for-  
ward to add as much as possible  
to improvement of the hotel pro-  
per, where new carpeting, fur-  
nishings, and fixtures are adding,  
month by month, to the en-  
hanced attractiveness.Leading off the large lobby —  
which incidentally is the largest  
boasted by any in the interior —  
is the room which for many  
years the dining room, centre  
for many gatherings in years  
gone by, but latterly abandoned  
for such use.At present time workmen are  
busily transforming this space.  
It will be completely im-  
proved, with drapes as a feature,  
and, while Mr. Embury will not  
disclose his complete inten-  
tions in this regard, he leaves  
no doubt that it will have a part  
in his future intentions.A New Year's Eve dance,  
sponsored by the United Com-  
mercial Travellers, will be held  
in the hotel this season, and the  
large room, the former dining  
room, will be for the tables for  
the guests, with the dancing in  
the rotunda.This is the immediate program  
for this new space. Mr. Embury,  
some time next year, will pro-  
ceed with further plans for it.  
The suggestion is certainly raised  
that he is considering the  
idea of reviving a dining room  
of the first quality.Many other plans are being  
considered by the proprietor,  
whose alert cheerfulness and de-  
termination to give service are  
illustrated in such intentions."My idea," he told the Herald  
today, "is that a hotel is a home  
away from home for every tra-  
veller. By our service, the vis-  
itor comes to judge the whole  
city and district. Whatever we  
can do to improve it is not only  
for our own benefit as a busi-  
ness concern, but obviously helps  
Penticton as a whole."More Land Sold  
Than Bought By  
City Report ShowsReport of the Land Sales Com-  
mittee reviewing the highlights  
of the year follows:The most significant item of  
interest in the report of this  
committee is the rapid develop-  
ment of the light industrial area  
east of Main street and immedi-  
ately south of Ellis creek.Considerable acreage has passed  
from public to private owner-  
ship in that area. Money accord-  
ing through these sales has been ear-  
marked for installation of util-  
ities and development of roads to  
service the lots.Other transactions, included  
land purchases for street widen-  
ing purposes (some of which in-  
volved house moving), location of  
suitable sites for the CAP club  
house and proposed health centre.  
Property was exchanged between  
the city and a private owner in  
order to round out a park area  
adjacent to Skaha Lake.The only major outstanding  
problem is the proposed acqui-  
sition of property for parks pur-  
poses for the westerly extension  
of the golf course.The approximate cost of lands  
acquired this year to date is  
\$1



## Extension Of Sewer System And Adoption Of Sanitary Fill Plan Urged In Year End Council Report

Report of Alderman H. G. Garrioch, as Acting Mayor, and chairman of the finance committee, at the commencement of this year the City of Penticton approved a budget of more than \$1,700,000. The sources of income for this were, approximately, as follows:

Land and improvements taxation, 38 per cent.  
Utilities: light, water, garbage, irrigation, 37 per cent.  
Government grants, 11 per cent.  
Licenses, permits and other revenues, 8 per cent.  
Trust and special funds, six per cent.

Three years ago the per capita debt of Penticton was \$205. According to the best information available our community debt should be in the vicinity of \$175 per capita. Our per capita debt now, has been rolled back to \$156. This will allow for a margin of \$19 per capita for borrowing purposes.

To best use our funds, a five year policy, which the finance committee has been endeavoring to institute, will be necessary. This will permit of more long-range planning, preventing sudden onslaughts on the budget, sometimes at inopportune times.

There have been changes in the school taxation basis, with the assessment for school purposes set at a rate of 10 mills for school operation, and three mills for capital and debt service charges. This will stabilize the school mill rate, as far as the city is concerned.

This year, we installed 100 additional parking meters to reduce congestion in the parking area — I may say here that I am not always in accord with parking meters generally, but as these meters are universal, and as it does not prohibit long parking of cars in restricted areas, is self-liquidating and provides a revenue for the improvement of traffic control, signs, lights, etc. it cannot help but be beneficial to our modern way of living.

Due to the early arrival of winter weather, many of the department projects will have to be deferred or completed next year. However, these funds have been encumbered and therefore will not be on next year's budget.

Unencumbered funds will be somewhere in the neighborhood of \$60,000. This amount was budgeted for last year, and due to the amount of work done, could not be completed.

I would like to talk about our electrical system. We have highly expert advice on the proper construction of this system. In the early history of our system, a "blackout" anywhere in the system was one for the whole system. We have endeavored to sectionalize the system now, so that a blackout will involve only a small portion of the system.

It is necessary in the economy of electric light systems to keep all meters ticking over and with our new system of sectionaliza-

tion we can blot out districts and leave a large percentage of the city still paying for current and getting service. I might point out that the spending of money on this type of work is something which the public may not see, but which will be reflected in overall income and efficiency, as well. Our system is, at the present time, in very good shape, and being economically operated.

Many of you walking down our streets will look at a piece of hard surfacing or a curb and gutter, and will there see where the money has been expended; but I would like to say that, for instance, in the establishment of a sewer district, each individual gets the benefit, although it may not be so obvious.

Hard surfacing of streets has been our policy, but to carry this out, extending outward from the city centre, proper grades and levels had to be obtained. The hard surface itself is obvious, but obtaining the necessary grades is again a hidden factor.

At the present time, the city is endeavoring to obtain a solution to its domestic water needs, particularly those of the future. Because of the growth and expansion of our city, our present facilities are inadequate. This year we increased the pumping capacity from the lake, and we are now in process of ascertaining how much more water we can obtain by storage on Penticton and Ellis creeks.

There are three main proposals — 1. further storage basins on the creeks; 2. pumping either from Skaha or Okanagan lakes with a reservoir established on Munson's Mountain or Duncan avenue; 3. A tunnel from the upper bench near the rifle range, to connect Penticton creek with Okanagan Lake.

Survey crews will be in Penticton creek area in the early spring to ascertain the foot age possible in that area. As you possibly know, our present system involves use of water from the creeks during their capacity season; and pumping from Okanagan Lake, sometimes full time and sometimes as an auxiliary.

His Worship Mayor C. Oscar Matson is very anxious to reduce the cost of electricity to taxpayers, and at a meeting held late in November it was decided to reduce the civic income from the sale of electricity by approximately \$40,000. This may seem small, but we must preserve an equitable ratio, and from my experience of other centres our rate will be in line with theirs, or else below it slightly.

Our water charges are fair, and create no hardship on the users; but we do feel that any capital extension of our water system should be borne by the users, so that those already using water will be paying their own way and making an adequate return to the city. On subdivisions, the subdivision is required to pay for all installations; this is to be returned to him over a period of five years as part of water charges.

Proposals have been made to the city for the purchase of the present city dump, as part of a giant housing project. Long before this came before us it was my expressed hope that we should instigate the sanitary fill system, whereby refuse is buried in the ground, serving two purposes: first, the disposal of trash and refuse of all kinds; and secondly, the probable creation of usable lands from ground that presents problems at present.

The money involved in the deal for the present dump area would pay for the installation of this sanitary fill system.

As areas for this, I have in mind the lots along the south of Vancouver avenue, down in the hollow, now partly swamp; and the swamp area along Lakeside road in the Skaha Lake area. Under the sanitary fill plan, these lands would be reclaimed, and become tax-bearing. And there would be no unsightly dump at any time, because the refuse is buried each day as it is unloaded. The bulldozer that would be purchased for this would remain at the site, but the man using it would only need to be there for half days.

It is my opinion that this is a "must" for Penticton now, and one that will be more pressing in the future.

The city cannot long continue appreciated.

## Rotary Radio Auction Winds Up Saturday; Articles Listed

Auction list for the third and last night of the Penticton Rotary Club's annual radio auction, Saturday, is published below. The big night goes on the air over CKOK at 8:30 p.m.

171 Kaledon Nursery, 5 heavy rose bushes or 3 African violets	\$4.75
172 Standard Oil, 1 case 10-30 Standard oil	18.00
173 Dines Feed Store (Ogilvie Traveler), 49 Ogilvie flour	3.40
174 Interior Tire Centre, suburban tire tread	15.50
175 Cy Cross Pacific Paper Co., 1 case toilet tissue	9.00
176 Incola Hotel, 1 box cigars, House of Lords	8.00
177 Royal Dairy, 1 gallon ice cream	1.65
178 Sportsman's Service, lub and oil change	3.50
179 A. J. Rye, 1 flat tomato plants, spring delivery	2.00
180 Four Way Store, 1 hamper	5.00
181 A Rotarian, 15 lb. turkey	10.00
182 Lakeshore Bottling Works, 1 case Gurd's gingerale	2.95
183 Penticton Co-operative Growers, 1 box Wagner apples	
Extra Fancy	3.75
184 Central Meat Market, 1 ham	7.00
185 McLennan, McFeely & Prior Ltd., 2 vases	7.90
186 McCune Motors, 2 gallons anti-freeze	8.00
187 McKenzie White & Dunsinuir, 1 kitchen electric clock	10.00
188 Penticton Purity Products, 1 ham	7.50
189 Dorothy's Gift Shop, Old Master Series	13.50
190 A. J. Rye, 1 flat mixed annuals, spring delivery	2.00
191 H.Y. Louie, 1 food hamper	9.00
192 Slim's Spark Shop, 15 lb. ham	8.00
193 Bassett's Transfer, half ton coal	9.50
194 Valley Dairy, 6 bricks ice cream	1.80
195 Valley Motors, certificate	25.00
196 Fine Hall, 1 lb. turkey	7.50
197 A Rotarian, 15 lb. turkey	10.00
198 Mac's Beverages, 1 case Roy ginger ale	5.00
199 United Co-operative, 1 box extra fancy Delicious	5.00
200 Penticton Feed and Supply, 1 pair Corona grass shears	3.45
201 Mrs. J. A. Barrett, 1 box chocolates	2.00
202 Frenchies Drive In, burger, chips and coffee for 4	2.40
203 Harry's Meat Market, 1 picnic ham	3.50
204 Monty's Flower Shop, 1 bowl mixed flowers	5.00
205 McLennan, McFeely & Prior, glass plate and holder	3.95
206 Syer's Grocery, 1 box fancy ass'd cheeses	3.90
207 Neve Newton, pen and pencil set	7.50
208 Super Valu, food hamper	10.00
209 Canadian Bakeries, 5 1/2 lb. dark Xmas cake	5.75
210 Peach City Foundry, fireplace iron basket	8.00
211 Wheelhouse, hand made afghan	9.00
212 O'Hara's Furniture, reading lamp and stand	14.50
213 Scott's Coffee Shop, 1 box chocolates	4.00
214 Royal Dairy, 6 bricks ice cream	1.80
215 Mac's Beverages, 1 case Coca Cola	2.50
216 Penticton Retreading and Vulcanizing, 2 tires tractionized	5.00
217 Home Furnishings, 1 Administer rug	6.50
218 Grant King Ltd., Stetson hat certificate	11.95
219 Guerard Furniture Co. Ltd., desk lamp	13.95
220 Hudson's Bay, beacon light auto compass	6.95
221 Grand Forks Garage, 1 gallon anti-freeze	4.00
222 Royal Dairy, 1 gallon ice cream	1.65
223 Excel Grocery, 24 lb. sack flour	1.75
224 Ken's Royalty Service, complete lub and oil change	5.00
225 Interior Tire Centre, 2 tires tractionized	5.00
226 Triangle Service, 10 gals. gas and lubrication	6.70
227 Pilkington Glass Co., 1 mirror	15.00
228 Duro Cleaning Service, clean 9x12 rug	9.00
229 Sportsman's Service, lubrication and oil change	3.50
230 A. F. Cummings Ltd., set the pin and cuff links	3.45
231 Pop's Ladies' Wear, dress size 16	10.00
232 Capitol Cafe, dinner for 4	10.00
233 Street's Seed and Flower Shop, bouquet or corsage	5.00
234 Hunt's Meat Market, 12 lb. turkey	8.00
235 Grand Forks Garage, lube and oil change	5.00
236 Mac's Beverages, 1 case Rob Roy gingerale	3.00
237 Street's Seed and Flower Shop, complete set engine building	10.85
238 Rexall Drug Store, bath powder and stick of Cologne	3.60
239 Home Furnishings, automatic fire alarm	5.95
240 Hunt Motors Ltd., handy spot light	4.75
241 Volkswagen Interior Sales, 2 lube jobs	4.50
242 Ritz Cafe, 2 meals	2.50
243 House of Color, 1 gallon paint, own choice	7.50
244 Valley Dairy, 6 bricks ice cream	1.80
245 Gibson's Style Shop, 1 pr. green suede gloves 7 1/4	3.95
246 Nares Investments, 1 MA share	6.65
<b>SPECIALS</b>	
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2. Mrs. Kingsley Okanagan Travel Bureau, return trip	
3. W. Rancouver, CPA	26.35
4. Fashion Centre, musical clock	24.50
5. Fashion Centre, dress tulip type sheath	22.50
6. Harris Music Shop, 100 gram record, Immortal Classics	5.45
7. R. (Dick) Farmley Ltd., 45 gallons fuel oil delivered anywhere, Penticton, Nanaimo, Sumland	11.00
8. Captain Weeks, hostess tray, hand made	4.00
9. Captain Weeks, beautiful coffee table	25.00

## Legion's Annual Christmas Party Provided Good Entertainment

The Legion Hall, the home of Branch 40, B.E.S.U. was the scene of the annual Christmas party last Friday night.

The year in place of the usual stag party, the members voted for a mixed smoker and dance, giving the ladies an opportunity to join in the fun.

This proved to be a big success. In spite of the fact that Friday was a hockey night and numerous other attractions, a good crowd showed up and a most enjoyable time was had by everyone. Excellent refreshments were provided.

The highlight of the evening was the floor show put on by Kenny Almond and his orchestra, the inimitable Kenny as master of ceremonies.

This was a huge success and went over big with the appreciative crowd.

Doug Kilburn, popular hockey player, brought down the house with his really fine impersonation of that fine old trouper, the late Al Jolson, with his song, "Mammy". This took the old timers back 25 years and brought a tear to many eyes.

A handsome English lad of 14 years, Don Barry, was exceptionally good in his ventriloquist act and Cliff Goerty gave a most amusing denotation of the rumba in song and action, and of course, Kenny brought many a laugh with his patter and stories. Dancing was in full swing following the refreshments until the early hours ending one of the most enjoyable Christmas parties ever held by the branch.

The entire proceeds will be spent on giving the kiddies a good time at their party and Christmas tree on December 18.

Illage in either fall or spring to germinate and kill wild oats should be shallow.

## OSOYOOS.

OSOYOOS — W. G. Doll of Osoyoos, Mrs. I. Vader of Okanagan Falls, and A. Endreny of Oliver were elected last week to the Board of School Trustees of School District No. 14. Osoyoos representatives are E. G. Matthes, Carl Fesser and Stan Stadola.

Dr. W. Roy Walker left today for Winnipeg where he was called by the death of his mother, Mrs. A. A. Walker.

December 10 is the day set for the opening of the new Credit Union building with a social evening to take place that same night. Mark Byra was awarded a \$5 share prize by the Credit Union directors for being the 500th member to join.

Lloyd Sutherland is driving his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sutherland, of White Rock, to California to spend the winter at Long Beach.

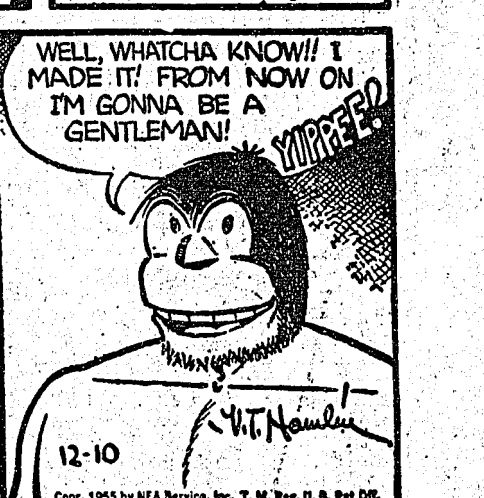
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bucher, who have been living at Williams Lake for the past year, have returned to spend a month or two in town.

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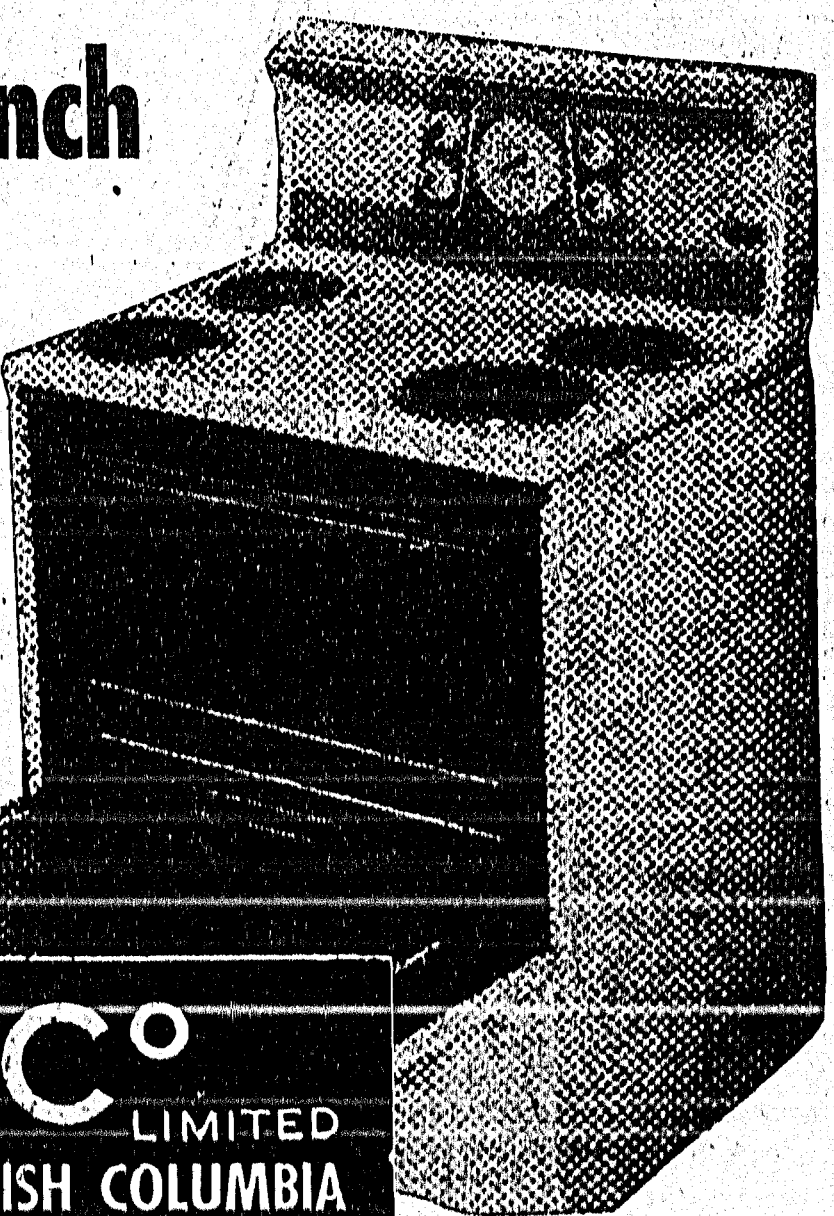
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### Summerland Rotary Club Annual Turkey Shoot On Saturday

SUMMERLAND — Summerland Rotary Club is holding its annual turkey shoot at the Summerland Trap Club on Saturday starting at 10:30 a.m. The road is ploughed out and the club house will be warm and cosy with a fire in the big stone fireplace and in the stove from which free hot coffee will be served. A special note is that wives will be welcomed on Saturday, too.

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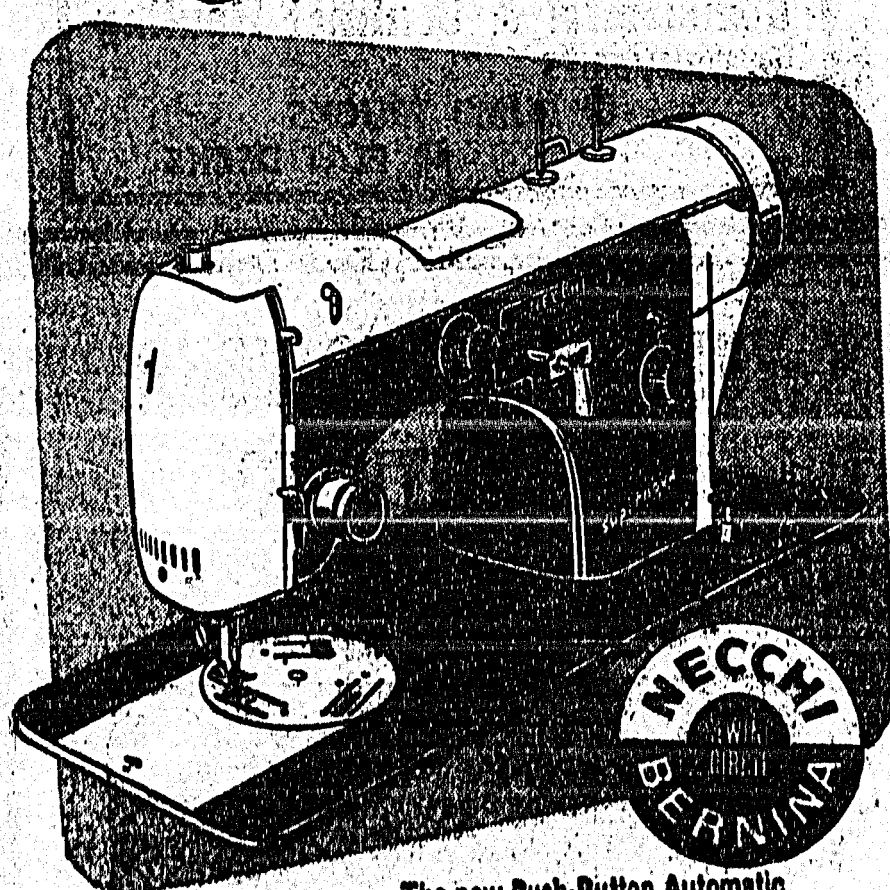
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### At Your Service

By HOWARD N. PATTON  
Sec.-Manager, Board of Trade

I can't see Penticton citizens donning sackcloth and ashes for their sin of omission in regard to attendance at the civic "Stewardship Meeting".

Nor do I believe any amount of righteous indignation will shame them into attending future civic meetings.

Let's admit it—past "Stewardship Meetings" tended to be as dull as the name. Annual reports, that would appear in the papers and probably make better reading than listening.

Modest rehash of qualifications for office by candidates whose personal affairs are already fairly well known around town.

Definite avoidance of controversy, because, first, there were no contentious issues, or, secondly, because controversy somehow is deemed unseemly in civic affairs.

We hesitate to wash local dirty linen in public. You can't attack a local businessman, friend or neighbor the way you can call a cabinet minister from Saskatchewan an incorrigible fool. Civic affairs, emasculated as they are by removal of partisan political vitality, definitely lack lustre.

The only way to preserve "Stewardship Meetings" in their present state is to embalm them.

But before we call the undertaker, here are a few suggestions that may revive the ailing body politic. They have not been endorsed by the Board of Trade executive nor discussed by the general membership. They are presented to spark thought and discussion which may in turn provoke something more effective than anguished breast beating over the blarney of Mr. Good Citizen.

First: A political Billy Graham to conduct a nation-wide revival of civic consciousness. He would have to have no party connections. He might be sponsored by the Canadian Federation of Mayors or the Canadian Chamber of Commerce.

As with the religious campaigns, the political evangelist's call to citizenship would be followed up by locally organized "Civic Revival Meetings" (formerly "Stewardship Meetings").

Or: Take a gimmick from commercial promotion's bag of tricks... Contests and jackpot prizes... remission of a year's taxes to the lucky ticket holder at the "Civic Sweepstakes Jambores" (formerly "Stewardship Meetings").

Or: On a slightly higher plane—a purse for the year's best suggestion for improvement of civic government.

Or: Take a leaf from the service clubs' convention guide book. Bring out the band, bottle and buxom "bachelorette". No club delegate ever missed a convention date for a hockey match, bingo game or curling night. He may give the same attention to a "Citizenship Smoker" (formerly "Stewardship Meeting").

Or: Take a hint from the sports world... Throw the gauntlet in the face of other Okanagan cities, challenging them to stage a more raucous "footin' election campaign than we can produce... an Okanagan Mainline Civic Affairs League.

May as well extend it across Canada, since we have a penchant for Dominion and world-wide trophies.

Get a distillery to donate a "Blue Chip". Give it the big-time

promotion and fill the arena for the "All-Star Citizens' Final" (formerly "Stewardship Meeting").

Well, those are a few ideas "right off the top of my head". Let's have your suggestions and we may be able to keep civic affairs out of the graveyard of democracy.

### Queen's Park P-TA Meeting Sets Projects

A very successful meeting of Queen's Park P-TA was held at the school on Monday night with about 50 persons in attendance.

Two projects were decided on for next year: films for the school and a running shoe pool.

Youngsters who have outgrown their running shoes will be asked to donate them so that other children who do not have this footwear will be able to use the facilities of the gym floor.

Next meeting will be held on January 9 when Howard Patton, secretary-manager of the Board of Trade, will show films and give a talk on his experiences as a teacher abroad.

There will be a food basket door prize.

### Retarded Children Will Benefit From Summerland Concert

SUMMERLAND — Summerland Women's Institute is sponsoring a concert on Wednesday evening, December 14, in aid of the Sunnyvale School for retarded children, which is open to those in the south Okanagan needing this type of schooling.

Mrs. Flora Bergstrom is arranging the program which will feature the Penticton Male Choir under the direction of Mrs. Margaret Hendry, which is giving its talent to support the project.

A trio consisting of Keith Sayers, Jim Peters and Wally Littell, have hit-bill numbers to contribute, and Cuba Dunham's dancing students will add to the slightly list of attractions. There will be dances in which the smallest tots will delight the audience, and Japanese and Hawaiian numbers in bright costumes.

Earache should never be neglected. If a child complains of earache, especially if he is feverish, a doctor should be consulted at once. A discharging ear requires medical attention and treatment to prevent a chronic condition and possible permanent damage to the hearing.

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### African Broadcast To Be Produced Here

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The entire program is in the English language which is the official tongue of Liberia and the Gold Coast. It consists of informal singing and a Bible message. The broadcast is heard from a distance of 1300 miles from the radio station.

Closely connected with the broadcast is the publication "Truth on Fire" which has a large readership in West Africa. Free Bible studies by correspondence are offered through the program as well.

Following the taping of the broadcast on Sunday afternoon, Evangelist Wakefield will speak briefly on "The Oldtime Faith" and will also read some of the letters which were sent to him as editor of "Truth on Fire" from many countries of the world.

### Summerland Pastor At Okanagan Mission

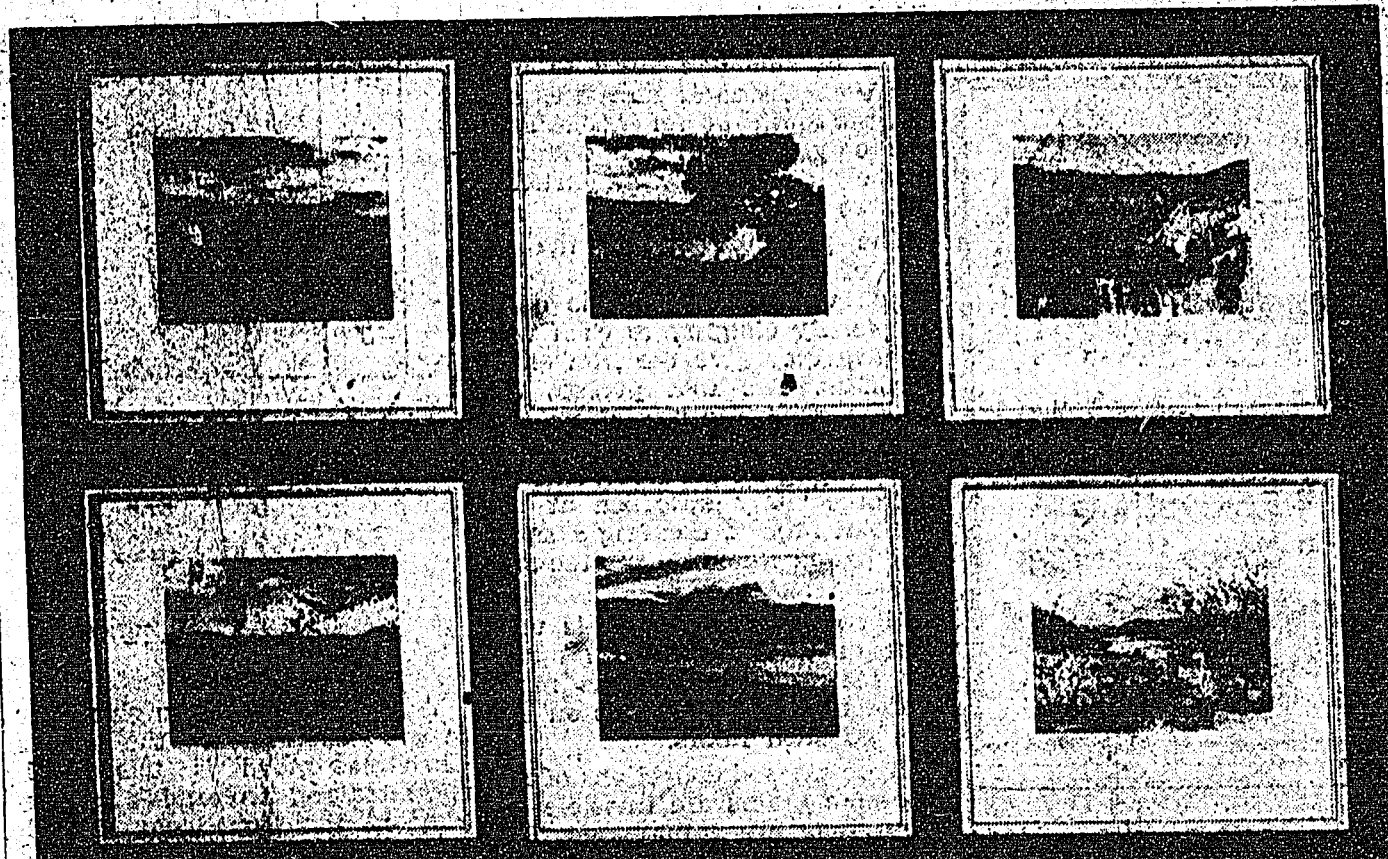
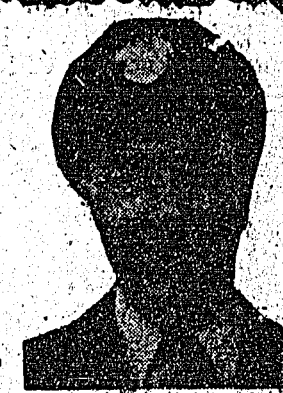
SUMMERLAND — Canon F. V. Harrison, who retired as rector of St. Stephen's Anglican church last year will go with Mrs. Harrison to the Okanagan Mission parish this week to spend two months there as rector.

The parish includes churches at Okanagan Mission, East Kelowna and Rutland.

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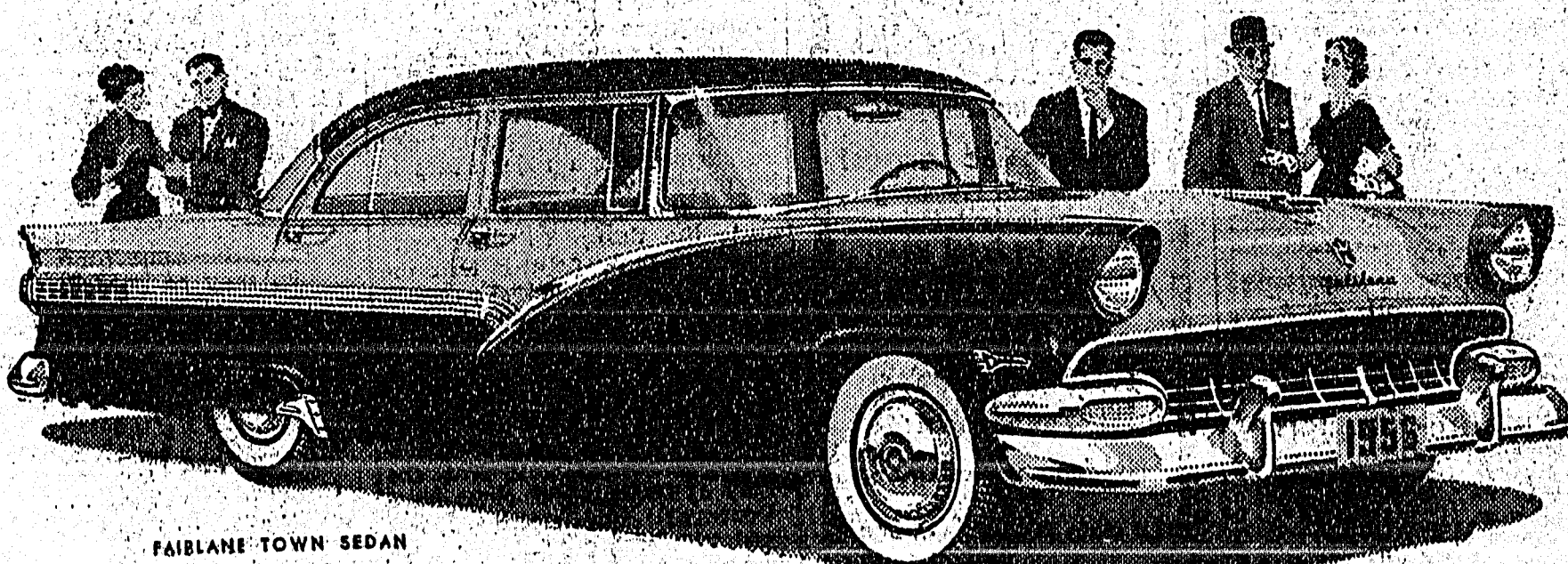
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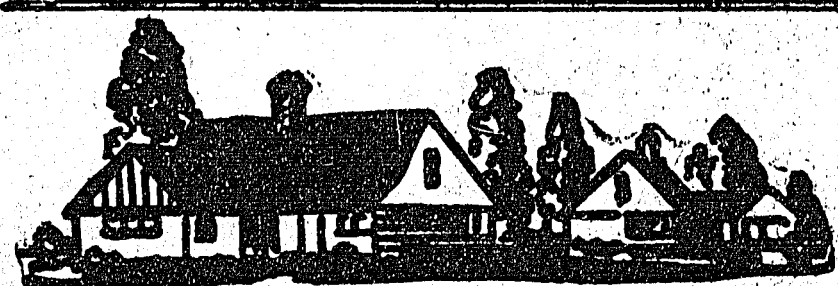
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Of course, the walker is unaware of what's going on under her feet. She just walks more confidently than she does on her own polished floors.

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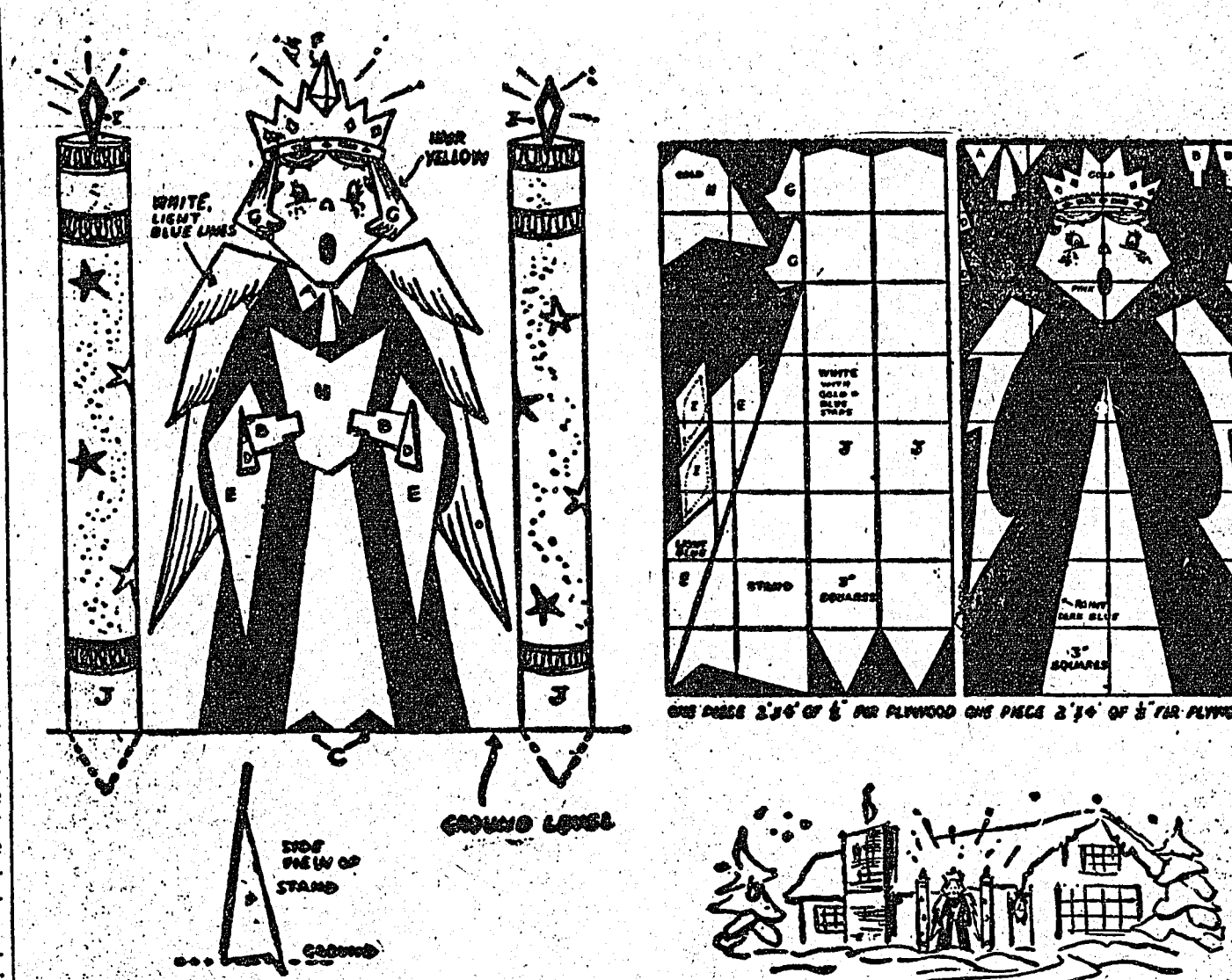
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**Building Queries**  
Question: I have a small workshop in our cellar. It is on the opposite side from the oil burner and I have always kept my paints, shellac and other materials as far from the furnace as possible. Is it safe to build shelves about 12 feet from the oil burner for storing paints.  
Answer: It's safe as long as you observe the regular precautions about handling or finishing materials indoors. See that all cans and bottles are tightly closed when not in use. See that there is plenty of ventilation when doing any finishing inside the house.

## Angel Choristers And Candles



A charming group to give your festive decorations the true Christmas mood is this angel chorister and two candles for display on the front lawn. By following the pattern shown here these permanent cutouts can easily be made at home.

The whole family can lend a hand. In fact, if you feel like making a project of it, several singing angels could be cut out to form a Christmas choir, with mother and the youngsters joining in to help make them.

The candles and angel here are all cut from 4x4 foot piece of 1/2 inch fir plywood. Parts are quickly sawn to shape because all cuts are straight lines.

**2-INCH GRID**  
Draw a grid of 2-inch squares

on the plywood. Put in the cut-out lines by following the pattern shown. With the grid as a guide, even the children can draw in the shapes correctly and they'll enjoy helping you do it.

The youngsters will give a hand as well when it comes to sanding edges after parts are all cut and assembled. Nail the pieces together with rust-resistant nails. To attach the stand, nail a strip of 2x2 inch lumber up the back of the angel and fix the stand to this.

Painting the cutouts can be a family affair if you wish. The colors you choose are a matter of taste, but it's a good idea to put a primer coat of top quality exterior undercoat on the plywood edges and both sides of the

figures. This has nothing to do with the waterproof glue qualities of the plywood. Sealing with an undercoat prevents moisture creeping in behind the final paint coats and ensures a lasting job.

**BRIGHT FINISH**  
Two coats of bright exterior enamel make an excellent finish. One idea is to set the crown and candle flames aglitter. Sprinkle on sparkling material obtainable at most novelty counters. If the glitter is put on when the final enamel coat is wet it will stick to the surface.

A good feature of this outdoor display is that rain and snow will not harm the waterproof glue fir plywood and you can store the figures after Christmas ready for another season.

## Let's All Get "Lit Up" This Coming Christmas

If you ever stepped on a rake in the dark and saw that flash that occurs when the handle hits you between the eyes, you can probably see why so many people are going in for outdoor lighting around their homes.

A friend of ours recently floodlighted his entire grounds after he stepped on a roller skate in his driveway.

And floodlighting is becoming quite the thing to discourage prowlers. Only point is that the bulbs should be shielded as much as possible from direct view. Placing the lights under the eaves at four corners of the house is good practice.

Accent lighting of gardens and landscaping is another comparatively new wrinkle. In fact, the ladies at their garden clubs have discovered that electric lights used at night over flower beds or vegetable gardens stimulate plant growth.

Well, garden decorative lighting is a matter of personal taste. The best idea is to use a few lights, rather widely spaced. This creates points of interest rather than a monotonous wash-out look of floodlighting. Such lights can be directed up into trees and shrubs as well as down from above.

Porches, patios and terraces are now commonly illuminated. And the increasing popularity of electric lawn mowers, hedge clippers, power-operated barbecue spits, hot-bed heating cables and what not, means a big need for outdoor power outlets.

The main problem in the use of electric wiring outdoors is to keep it dry. It used to be that expensive lead-sealed conduits were needed for all outdoor purposes. Plastic has simplified all of this. An electrical conduit is still needed for the point where you

bring the cable out of the ground. This will insure rigidity. Keep the conduit from wobbling by strapping it to a tree or by embedding it in the concrete in the ground.

1. Lights and outlets mounted on the house should be connected with the indoor wiring system.

2. For lights and outlets in the yard, provide a separate 115-volt circuit. If you expect to use many lights at the same time, several circuits may be needed.

3. Switches for the outside lights should be installed indoors or at some other spot permanently protected from the weather.

4. If temporary lights are used, they should be equipped with heavy-duty rubber-neoprene cords with weatherproof plugs, receptacles and sockets. Never use lamp cord or telephone cable.

5. Always use weatherproof electrical boxes, outlets and fixtures.

## Around Our House

By Bill and Elleen Lovett

Christmas shopping... Christmas cooking... and Christmas entertaining! As usual, there's more than enough excitement in the holiday season to last the year round. But after all's said and done, the real fun of Christmas comes not from what we spend on gifts but from the time we spend with our family and friends at home.

From the Lovetts' to all our friends (actually, more than 250,000 readers) — the happiest Christmas ever!

It may not sound very glamorous but the fact is that most of the last minute Christmas shopping is done in drug stores and hardware stores. Honestly, I find them about the likeliest places in town for gifts to fill a Christmas stocking!

How about making sure now that you do take those Christmas party and Christmas Eve photographs. Here are some tips on indoor photography: leave the room lights on, as they help intensify the flash. In fact, if the walls are a dark color, the more light the better.

Your subject should be at least six feet from the camera. Discourage the subject, especially if it's children, from posing. Ask them to talk and don't let them stare at the camera. Be sure you take several shots of each subject.

Incidentally, photoflash batteries are far better than ordinary flashlight batteries. They cost only a few pennies more but give much better results and, also, you get many more pictures per battery. So they are actually cheaper in the long run.

During the holiday season there will be many a dish washing chore of roast and broiler pans. It takes just a moment to sprinkle a layer of detergent over the pan right after you remove the food. Then put a wet paper

## Barrel Grown Strawberries Easy To Raise

The idea of growing strawberries through holes drilled in a wooden barrel has prompted gardeners to ask for information on this subject.

The first thing needed is a barrel, and it must not have contained creosote or any chemical which could be harmful to the plants or taint the fruit.

In order to serve its purpose, that of supplying the strawberry needs of the family from the minimum of garden space, the barrel must be large.

But the barrel has to be turned several times a day so that all the plants get equal hours of sunshine, and a 55-gallon barrel filled with soil requires a substantially built turntable if it is to be rotated with anything resembling ease.

A carpenter's brace and two auger bits are the next requisite. A one-inch auger is used to make a half-dozen drainage holes in the bottom of the barrel, and a bit which will extend to two inches is used for the side holes.

If the barrel has steel bands the top and bottom rows of holes are drilled between the bands. The centre row, is drilled around the widest part of the barrel. Holes are spaced about 12 inches apart and staggered so that plants in the second row do not overhang those in the first row.

Good loamy soil, well rotted manure or compost, coarse sharp sand, some gravel and some broken brick are all needed for filling the barrel.

The soil mixture is one part each loam and rotted manure and sufficient sand to keep it from caking.

When you feel enough has been mixed to fill the barrel, double the quantity. It is surprising how much soil a barrel will hold. To each wheelbarrow load of soil mixture add two or three handfuls of bonemeal.

Two more items needed are pot-grown strawberry plants, preferably August grown runners, and a couple of lengths of 6-inch stove pipe as a form for the centre core.

Curved pieces of broken flower pots, are first placed over each drainage hole, followed by broken brick and gravel to the depth of two inches. The stove pipe is placed on the drainage material as near the centre as possible and filled with a mixture of sand and broken brick to the level of the top of the barrel.

The soil mixture is then built up around the centre pipe, and frequently tamped firm, until it reaches the first row of holes.

The plants are removed from pots and the leaves are pushed out through the holes from the inside until the root balls are tight against the holes.

Soil is added by layers, each layer tamped firm, until the second row of holes is reached, and then repeated until the top row of plants is in place. Plants are also set in the exposed soil at the top of the barrel.

The stove pipe is then removed leaving a centre core of porous material which will carry water to the plants in the bottom row. This core is very important, as is the fact that the barrel must never dry out. It may require watering several times a day in hot weather.

It sounds like a lot of work, but if you want to have some fun, and would like to have something in the garden or on the patio to excite interest, the strawberry barrel is the answer.

**WATCH GRAIN**  
When two or more pieces of lumber are glued together at their edges, care should be taken to have the surface grain fibres running in the same direction. Otherwise, it will be impossible to plane the glued material without going against the grain on one or more of the pieces.

## Long Bit Does The Job

You can drill holes deeper with an extra long, electrician's bit when a regular bit is too short for the job. Cut off the tang at the end of the shank so that the bit will fit into a standard power drill chuck. File the edges smooth. The bit won't bind in the stock if it goes into it slowly at first.

## Tape Curtain Rods Before Taking Down

When curtain rods are taken down for any reason, the type which move in and out — for regulating to size — usually get out of line, and it is necessary to readjust them to fit properly.

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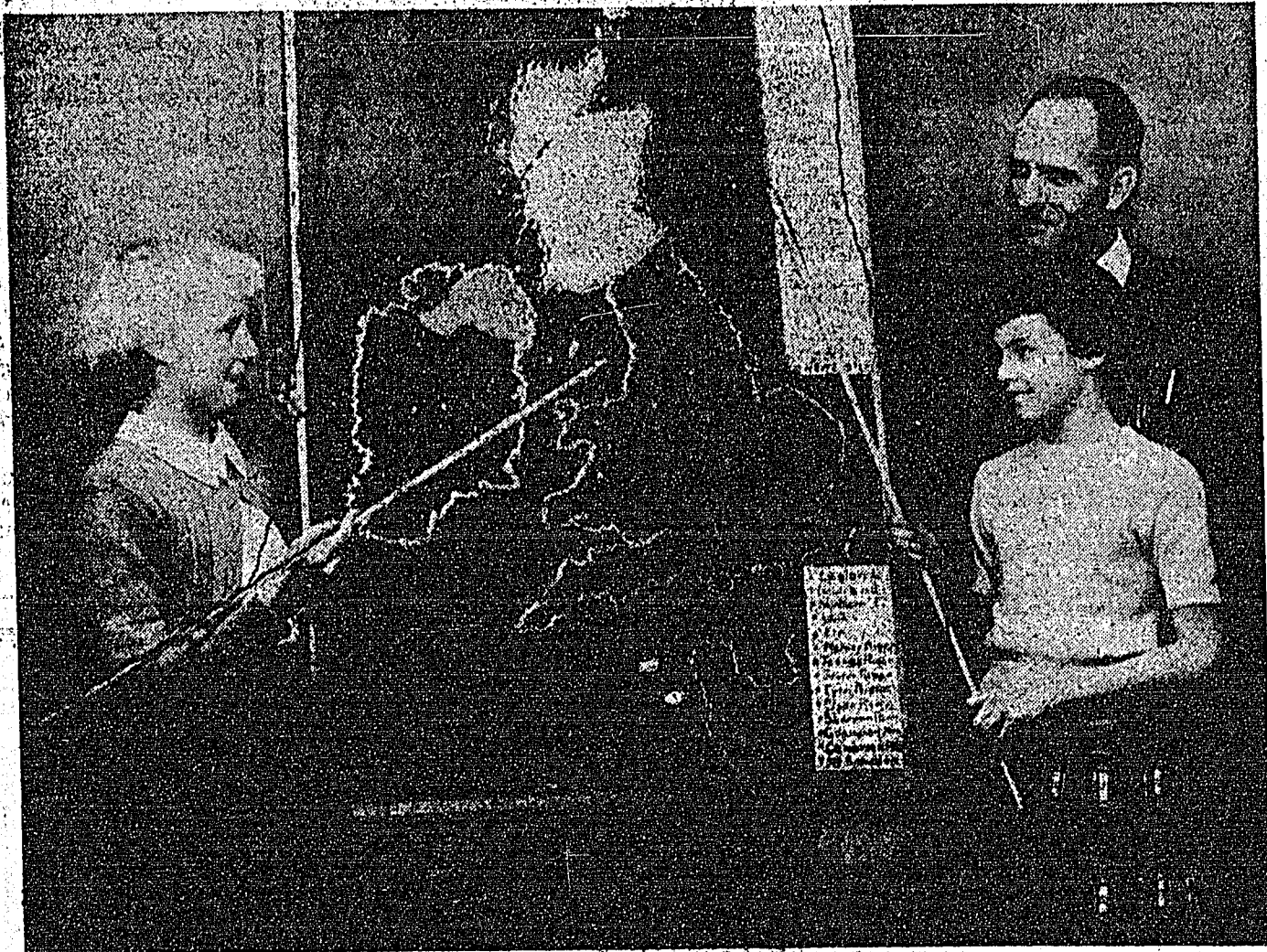
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## PEN HI WEEKLY REVIEW

### NEWS AND VIEWS FROM PENTICTON HIGH SCHOOL



WHEN THE BUZZER BUZZES at Queen's Park School it signifies that a student knows the answer insofar as the geography of the British Isles is concerned. The map, pictured above, is wired for sound. Kenna Johnston, right, is putting her pointer on a point of contact named after some town, city or geographical feature of the British Isles. Then, it is up to Carol McLearn (left) to put her pointer dead on the spot corresponding to the name. If she does, then the buzzer, buzzes. Looking on approvingly is D. H. Tully, school principal.

## Electric Map At Queen's Park School Teaches Geography

The pupils of the Grade six classes have a lot of fun learning the positions of many physical features of Great Britain.

They use what is called an electric map. This is a map drawn on a plywood base with the cities and other features marked with screw nails. The names of these features are listed along the side of the map also with screw nails.

One child with a pointer asks questions such as "where is London?" and puts the pointer which has a screw on the end of it connected to a wire on the screw nail by the name "London". The other pupil also with a pointer equipped with a screw

nail and wire places his pointer on the spot he thinks is London.

If he is correct a buzzer sounds and if he is wrong nothing happens. The secret, of course, is the fact that the name London is joined to the screw which marks London on the map by a wire and the two pointers touching those two screws completes a circuit which rings the buzzer.

The pupils enjoy using the map and incidentally learn the position of 30 to 40 physical features. The making of the map affords practice in drawing to scale, coloring and some elementary electrical theories.

## Sports Review

By Luba Lapshinoff

This week the coach, Mr. Boyd, and individual players of the Lakers Basketball team were interviewed to get their impressions of the team's future.

Mr. Boyd — We have a good group but we can be a lot better. Our only trouble in the valley league is Oliver, if we beat them we will take the championship. I don't know how we do at the coast, if we go, as I have no idea what the other teams are like.

Chuck Preen, Capt. — We have a few inexperienced players but after we play a few games we'll be better. We'll take the valley league and should do fairly well at the coast; not to forget that we have the best coach in the valley, Mr. Boyd.

Ryan Conley — We have lots of height and some fast players. Once we have a few more games under our belts we'll be coasting fine.

Harry Wade — It's a good team — there's lots of height and the players who aren't tall are fast. I'm sure we'll take the league and do okay at the coast. Our games at Trail were of much use to us as they gave us experience we would have had to gain in league play.

Charlie Richards — "Kind of tall aren't they?" I think that after a few games we will take the Okanagan league easily. All we need is a bit more experience.

Mike Berry — We're the best team in the valley, and we'll come close in the B.C. championship. We're pretty well balanced and we have a good coach.

Wayne Loughhead — It will be a tight battle with Oliver for the Okanagan League, but we'll win — I think. Then if we go to Vancouver we'll probably come in the first eight.

Jack Boulding — As a team we have good possibilities. Some of us are "inexperienced" but we have good material. I'm pretty sure that we'll take the valley championship but don't think we will do anything astonishing at the coast.

Olivia Peterson — We have a very good team and we should win the valley championship and do as well or better than last year at the coast.

Bill Stewart — Good team and good coach. Don't think we'll lose a game in the valley league. We should do well at the coast.

Don Marshall — I am sorry to say we could not corner Don to get his views on the team but I am sure he is as confident in his ideas as the rest of the

team.

**ATHLETIC COUNCIL.** Twenty-seven dollars was realized on the basketball game last Saturday night. The budget was read by Dot Hutcherson and was approved by the Athletic Council and now has to be taken to the Senior Council.

A game has been arranged this weekend to be played in Kelowna between the Kelowna teams and our Lakers and Lakettes.

**ALS REPORT.** Plans for the Christmas Assembly are underway. It was passed that the Camera Club be granted \$10 for their use provided that they pay it back at a later date.

**ASSEMBLY.** Tuesday of this week an assembly was held for the Senior High students. Shirley Myers, Barbee Puddy, Ray McNabb and Steve Ziblin gave reports on the Students' Council. Conference held in Enderby a few weeks ago.

**"SIGNED JUST A MOTHER"** The student council listened with deep gratitude to the letter from "Just a mother" who had enclosed a dollar bill for the Mantred Pruesse radio fund. It is people like this who make our world a grand place to live in. Many thanks to "this mother" for her kind words and thoughtful donation.

Marie Gloholm

## Building Permit Values Down

**SUMMERLAND** — Total building permits in Summerland were nine in the amount of \$14,410 for the month of November, as compared with 14 last November amounting to \$28,970.

For the first 11 months of this year 98 building permits were issued in Summerland, totalling \$225,275. Last year there were only five more permits for the same period but they totalled \$265,155 so that building totals for that period are down this year \$30,880.

## NAIL WITHOUT HEAD

Clipping off the head of a nail and chucking it into a drill gives you an emergency bit for small drilling jobs. A small finishing nail is best. Use this trick when boring holes for brads or small finishing nails in hardwood or hard boards, also.

## PEN HI CORRIDOR COLUMN

HI KEEDS! We're back again with more news from the good old school.

Talk about exam jitters! Here's a gal — guess who — who was so nervous just before a social studies test that she couldn't find where to put the pencil into the pencil sharpener. Lucky for her, there was a big strong guy nearby who showed her how to do it. Chivalry is not dead yet, eh, Mrs. Howe?

One of the teachers got quite a surprise the other day when almost the whole class showed up late and with coats on. They told us to pass the word along to that teacher that they're sorry about not being on time, but "it was cold in their room."

Going back to Mrs. Howe again, we wonder if any of her Grade 11 English students have got the poetry bug yet. Hmm???

"The case of the disappearing lock" has class 11E baffled these days. Sara Joynson hung her lock on one of the hooks in her locker, turned her back for a minute, and the naughty little thing ran away on her. Everyone in the room swore up and down that none of them had touched it, and it's doubtful if anyone else could have or would have taken it right out of her locker, so where did it go? Better call in your bloodhounds, Sara! Maybe you should notify Rip Kirby too, just to make sure.

The other morning we had an assembly to hear the reports from the delegates who represented the school at the Student Council Conference in Enderby.

We are glad Barby Puddy had such a good time.

I'm sure our Lakettes are a hard-working lot but let's try and get our marks up next term, okay, girls?

The Boys' Hi-Y have certainly discovered an unique way of advertising their "Frosty Frolic". Did you know that there were only 7 more shopping days until the dance? They suggest you get "one" while the selection is good. We presume "one" refers to the girls.

We are surely sorry to see Margaret Hansen laid up with her leg in a cast. Oh well, Marg, Mrs. Howe nearly joined you too! She took a tumble outside the school the other day as well. However, she didn't appreciate the laugh the kids got out of it.

Bob Beckett has a new approach. He waits around the corner of the corridor, then accidentally???? bumps into the girls in a great flurry and smiles and apologizes. What a lardy fellow that!

Let's hope the team win in Kelowna tonight. Bye.

Definition of lardy, real cool, solid, etc.

Sitting for long periods at a desk or table may cause a worker to slump forward with curved spine and rounded shoulders. This is conducive to fatigue and may constrict the chest and internal organs. It is wiser to sit straight, with shoulders erect.

## High School Basketball

Following report on last week-end's basketball games was prepared by Ida Bellamy, sports reporter at the Penticton High School: The game that took place last Saturday night in the Penticton High School Gym was the first game this year for the Valley championship. We really have a lot to be proud of in our Pen High teams, so how about a better turn out next game to really give the team plenty of support. These are thrillers whether you are 6 or 60 so we don't think you'll be bored. Here are the scores of the last games: Senior B boys 32 — Oliver boys 17.

That was a nice score, and the team work was wonderful. Lakettes 11 — Oliver B. This was a very good game with everyone right on their toes. I would also like to comment on Barbee Puddy's plays and the team-work, keep it up kids you're great.

Lakers 30 — Oliver 21. The Lakers have a very good team and we would like to congratulate them on their tricky plays.

The Junior Boys of Penticton played host to the Summerland Junior team here Saturday afternoon when the two teams met in competition. The scores for these games are: Penticton (Grade 9 boys) 3 — Summerland (Grade 9 boys) 28; Penticton (Grade 8 boys) 38 — Summerland (Grade 8 boys) 2; Summerland girls 13 — Penticton girls 4.

I overheard a comment at the game last Saturday about our cheerleaders and believe me

## Shatford News

The big news for this week is the "Snow Flake Shuffle" the dance being held tonight in the High School Cafeteria from 8 to 11. This dance is for Grade 9's only. It costs only 10 cents and refreshments will be served.

Well, the Christmas spirit is stirring through the halls and corridors of the Shatford building and has left a lot of happiness and excitement over the coming Christmas holidays. Many of the classrooms are be-

boosters, congratulations for the wonderful job you are doing, keep up the good work.

We will have more news for you next week concerning the games being played tonight in Kelowna between the Lakers, Lakettes and the Kelowna teams.

girls you can be proud of yourselves. You're tops as team

After eating candy or any form of sugar, the teeth should be brushed to remove the particles which can form destructive acid to attack the tooth enamel.

ginning to look very festive, with Mr. Halcrow's leading the parade.

As you already know, school Christmas cards have been on sale in the halls and I think it would be a good idea for all of you to send some to your friends in other schools.

The 9-A boys are looking rather proud of themselves lately and have a good reason to be. They are the proud holders of the grade 9 Volley-Ball Championship and have therefore become the temporary owners of the Volley-Ball pennant.

We hope to have more details on the "All Sweet" margarine end drive, for next week's column.

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During the winter, when there is a tendency to close windows and doors to keep out drafts, the air in the home may become stale and dry. To offset this, use a humidifier or even a bowl of water standing on the radiator, to give the air necessary moisture. A very small space opened at the top of the window will provide circulation of air.

### Services in Penticton Churches

**THE SAVIOUR'S ARMY**  
Lieut. P. Donnelly and Lieut. R. Hall  
456 Main St. Dial 5624  
Sunday, December 11th  
11:00 a.m. — Holiness Meeting  
2:30 p.m. — Sunday School  
7:30 p.m. — Salvation Meeting  
Tuesday  
7:30 p.m. — Home League  
VISITORS WELCOME

**St. SAVIOUR'S CHURCH (Anglican)**  
Cor. Winnipeg and Orchard Ave.  
The Rev. Canon A. R. Eagles  
Dial 2649  
Advent III  
8:00 a.m. — Holy Communion  
9:45 a.m. — Church School  
11:00 a.m. — Matins  
7:30 p.m. — Evensong  
Naramata  
3:00 p.m. — Evensong  
Nativity Pageant

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
Eckhardt at Ellis  
Rev. J. R. Spittal — Pastor  
Phone 3979  
WESLEYAN MESSAGE  
10:00 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
Mrs. Spittal will speak. Subject "Heaven"  
7:30 p.m. — Evangelistic Meeting  
Tabernacle in the Wilderness  
Typical Teaching No. 5  
"The Most Holy Place"  
Wednesday  
8:00 p.m. — Missionary Meeting  
"A Christless Christmas is Pretty Much Like a Counterfeit Dollar"  
A Welcome Awaits All Who Attend

**THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN CANADA**  
St. Andrew's, Penticton  
(Corner Wade and Martin)  
Rev. S. McGladdery, B.A., B.D., Minister  
769 Winnipeg Street  
Dial 3995  
9:45 a.m. — Church School  
11:00 a.m. — Divine Service  
ALL ARE WELCOME

**CENTRAL GOSPEL CHAPEL**  
492 Ellis St. Dial 4595  
Sunday Services  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School and Bible Class  
11:00 a.m. — Worship and Breaking of Bread  
7:30 p.m. — Gospel Service  
Wednesday  
8:00 p.m. — Prayer Meeting  
You are Welcome

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY**  
815 Fairview Road  
Sunday School — 9:45 a.m.  
Church Service — 11:00 a.m.  
Subject: GOD THE PRESERVER OF MAN  
Golden Text: Exodus 15:2. The Lord is my strength and song, and He is become my salvation.  
Wednesday Meetings  
8:00 p.m. First and Third Wednesdays  
Reading Room — 815 Fairview  
Everybody Welcome

**PENTICTON UNITED CHURCH**  
Minister, Rev. Ernest Rands  
86 Manor Park  
Dial 3031 or 2684  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Worship  
Advent Sermons  
"The Difference Christ Made"  
Music: "Senior Choir"  
"The Great Day of the Lord is Near" — Martin  
7:30 p.m. — Evening Worship  
A Film: "Kenzi Comes Home"  
W.M.S. mite box Dedication  
Music: Senior Choir  
"Golden Carol"  
"Cherubim Song"  
— Bortniansky

**THE BIBLE Holiness Mission**  
Wade Avenue Hall  
190 Wade Ave. E.  
Evangelist Wesley H. Wakefield  
Lord's Day, December 11th  
3:00 p.m. — Public Production of "The Bible Broadcast" for West Africa.  
7:30 p.m. — Gospel Service  
Come! You Are Welcome

**SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**  
Fairview and Douglas  
Pastor — R. A. Hubley  
Wednesday  
7:30 p.m. — Devotional Service  
Saturday  
10:00 a.m. — Sabbath School  
10:40 a.m. — Preaching Service

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Main Street and White Avenue  
Sunday, December 11th  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School and Bible Class  
11:00 a.m. — Morning Service  
Reverend Jack Manley, Missionary on furlough.  
7:30 p.m. — Evening Service  
Reverend Jack Manley, Missionary on furlough.

**FOURSQUARE CHURCH**  
504 Main St.  
Penticton's Full Gospel Church  
9:45 a.m. — Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. — Worship Service  
6:30 p.m. — Young Peoples Service  
7:30 p.m. — Evening Gospel Service  
Wednesday  
7:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting  
Everyone Welcome

**MONDAY**  
7:30 p.m. — Young Peoples  
Wednesday  
7:30 p.m. — Prayer Meeting  
Friday, December 16, 7:30 p.m. — Sunday School concert in the High School Cafeteria.  
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### Penticton Park Facilities Improved, Extended Over Year

Steady improvement in Penticton's park facilities was recorded during the year, it was disclosed in the annual report prepared by Alex McNicoll, chairman of the Board of Parks commissioners. Mr. McNicoll's report, in full, follows:  
The Board of Parks Commissioners has reason to be pleased with the progress made by the parks department during the year 1955.

Rotary Park received a great deal of attention and we were able to have the fountain with colored, alternating lights ready in time for the dedication of Rotary Park during their 50th anniversary year.  
A Rotary Memorial plaque was set in position and an impressive service held with the Canon A. R. Eagles officiating, attended by his Worship, Mayor Matson and civic officials and residents and Rotary Park was officially handed over to the parks department for maintenance.

A small plaque in memory and appreciation of H. J. Parham, Esquire, has been set in position near the fountain as the Parks Department was bequeathed a sum of money under the Parham will for beautification of Rotary Park.  
A life guard tower was donated by the Lions Club and set up at Rotary Park and was gratefully received as it lies in very nicely with the diving stand and turning board in the deep water north of this park.  
Later, benches donated by Rotary were set up along the west and north paths.

As the flowering cherry trees planted on the west side grow and the decorative birches on the east boundary come along there should be enough shade and further low growing ground plantings should complete it.  
In my opinion it is to be hoped that future Parks Boards will do nothing to obscure the view of the lake by north plantings as the view up the lake is a natural beauty scene.

It was also Parks pleasure to receive officially for maintenance the Kiwanis Park on Edmonton Avenue.  
On September 17 an impressive dedication service was conducted by the Reverend Ernest Rands attended by Mayor Matson, Kiwanis and civic officials and residents.

Kiwanis Park has a separate splendid enclosed park for children and a large softball playing field which is a great credit to this service club.

There is still quite a bit of land in an undeveloped state which might have tennis courts, etc., developed there and it is to be hoped that some method of service club representation might be set up so that when changes or capital projects are contemplated on Parks received from service clubs that the service club might share some small percentage of cost so that pride and continued interest might be maintained.

At Skaha Lake we were happy to be able to furnish funds to the Aquatic Club for the construction of two piers and when these were completed walks were built and donated along the south end by the Kinsmen Club which provided an excellent open air swimming pool and an aluminum diving stand was donated by Parks and set up on the west pier and the Aquatic Club held a regatta there in August which showed much promise and was enjoyed by many.

The Kinsmen Club also kindly donated three water slides and two were placed at Skaha Lake and one at Okanagan which the children surely enjoy.  
King's Park — The season activities were enjoyed there and at long last suitable dugouts for baseball were built.

We are again indebted to Mrs. Colin Macdonald for engaging the supervised playgrounds at Wade and Westview.  
Queen's Park — Kiwanis Little League baseball was again active and some softball and soccer.

Your board considered it advisable to shut off Queen's Park oval and track to autos as it was found impossible to maintain grass and do any necessary development work. We would ask your co-operation in this respect.  
Arena — Arena operations were highlighted by a good hockey season and the return of the World Hockey Champion V's.

Again the Junior Chamber of Commerce must be congratulated on the splendid job they made of decorating the arena for the occasion.  
Rest rooms on the north side of the arena were added and heating put in.

The services of your capable arena manager were granted to Peach Festival for one month. We were glad to co-operate with the Festival Association and Rotary Industrial Exhibition with mutual satisfactory results.

The children have not been forgotten and it is our hope to provide more ice time for children whenever available.  
We regret that the open air theatre at Skaha Lake was unable to be operated. This situation is under review.

On behalf of the Parks Commissioners I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to all members of the Parks Department for their loyal co-operation.  
As previously stated much has been accomplished but there is still a great deal of work to be done at your beaches, Parks and arena.

We would ask your continued support for the 1956 Board of Park Commissioners.

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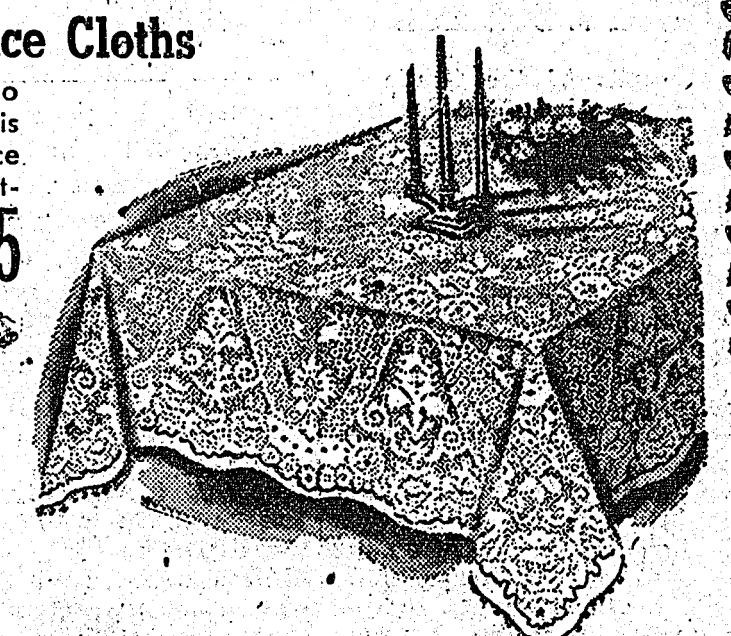
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